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FOREWORD

In economic terms, the Agriculture and Fisheries sectors are relatively small contributors to the Maltese economy. Their combined contribution to the economy amounted to 2.6 per cent of the Gross Domestic Product in 2006. In spite of the small size of these two sectors in monetary terms, for other reasons other than economic, their importance cannot be disregarded.

The National Statistics Office is providing statistical information on agriculture and fisheries through this publication for the seventh year running. This publication provides a clear insight on the behavior of the sectors and also helps users monitor specific trends in the different agriculture and fisheries domains. This publication offers policy makers the necessary information to make sound decisions within the sectors and is also a handy reference tool to both local and foreign users to obtain the necessary information on the agriculture and fisheries sector.

The publication covers the full spectrum of structural and economic information relating to the different domains in agriculture: from land structure to land cover; from livestock to employment; from agricultural output to indices; and from economic accounts to balance sheets. The publication also dedicates a chapter on the structural and economic information related to the fisheries sector.

A combination of hard work and dedication by the Agriculture and Fisheries Unit has made this publication possible.

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COMMENTARY

INTRODUCTION

For the seventh year running, the National Statistics Office is publishing a set of Agriculture and Fisheries tables. A sector may only be monitored if the statistics indicating specific trends are reliable. The electronic format is complete with interactive data, providing profound information on the agriculture and fisheries sector in Malta and Gozo.

CHAPTER 1 - AGRICULTURAL HOLDINGS AND LAND

This chapter is dedicated to the Utilised Agricultural Area in Malta and Gozo. Data was first compiled during the Census of Agriculture in 2001 and is compiled bi-annually in the survey on the structure of agricultural holdings. For 2006, data on the structure of the agricultural holdings and land will not be available.

CHAPTER 2 - EMPLOYMENT IN AGRICULTURE

Employment refers to all those people actively engaged in agricultural production. This information is also collected bi-annually through the farm structure survey that has been regularly undertaken after the Census of Agriculture in 2001. Tables showing employment by sex, status of employment and work time have all been compiled. For 2006, data on employment will not be available.

CHAPTER 3 – THE PIG INDUSTRY

In December 2006, the Agriculture and Fisheries Unit undertook a Pig Census according to Council Directive 93/23/EEC. A postal questionnaire was sent to all licensed pig breeders in Malta and Gozo. No thresholds were used. The few holdings that did not respond were imputed. For 2006, the total number of pigs in the December survey amounted to 73,683 pigs, a marginal increase of 0.9 per cent over 2005. Whereas young pigs and the breeding stock declined by 4.9 per cent and 1.1 per cent respectively, the number of fattening pigs on farms increased by 11.7 per cent. Tables 3.7 and 3.8 show data on slaughtering, compiled from the department of Veterinary Services. The number of pigs slaughtered in 2006 fell by 4.3 per cent from 108,210 pigs in 2005. Consequently, the carcass weight of pigs slaughtered fell by 7.6 per cent, from 8,889 tonnes in 2005 to 8,218 tonnes in 2006.

CHAPTER 4 - THE CATTLE INDUSTRY

Through the derogation obtained in 2005, Malta compiles statistics on cattle within Council Directive 93/24/EEC from the bovine register which is maintained by the Department of Veterinary Services. Tables 4.1 to 4.5 show the distribution of cattle in 2006. The number of cattle in the Maltese Islands declined marginally by 2.6 per cent over 2005 to 19,233 heads in 2006. Table 4.6 provides an insight on the cattle population over a number of years. The Department of Veterinary Services also provides monthly slaughtering statistics on cattle as shown in table 4.7 and table 4.8. A total of 5,205 heads were slaughtered in 2006, down marginally by 1.6 per cent when compared to 2005. On the other hand, the carcass weight of cattle slaughtered rose by 0.6 per cent to 1,398 tonnes in 2006.

CHAPTER 5 - SHEEP AND GOATS

Council Directive 93/25/EEC states that the annual stock of all sheep and goats must be monitored. The Agriculture and Fisheries Unit conducted a sample survey in 2006 based on the list provided by the Department of Veterinary Services. Sheep and goats in Malta are mainly reared for their milk. The sheep and goats industry is mainly a backyard industry and the majority of sheep and goats are not slaughtered at licensed slaughterhouses but slaughtered for own consumption. The milk is used to produce traditional cheeslets. The stock of sheep and goats in the Maltese Islands in 2006 amounted to 12,172 sheep and

5,828 goats. The data showed that 29.8 per cent of all sheep are on holdings with less than 10 sheep. On the other hand, a mere 2.1 per cent of all sheep are on large holdings that have more than 100 sheep. The distribution of the goat stock is somewhat similar, where 34.5 per cent of all goats are on holdings having less than 10 goats whereas 11.0 per cent of all goats are on holdings with 100 goats or more.

CHAPTER 6 - POULTRY

For 2006, the structure of poultry holdings will not be available because data on poultry structures are obtained through the survey on the structure of agricultural holdings held every two years. Statistical information on the slaughtering of poultry is obtained on a monthly basis from licensed slaughterhouses in Malta and Gozo as shown in table 6.5 and table 6.6. The total amount of poultry slaughtered in licensed slaughterhouses in 2006 declined by 3.8 per cent from 2.77 million heads in 2005 to 2.66 million heads in 2006. Similarly, the carcass weight of broilers slaughtered fell by 12.9 per cent to 3,935 tonnes in 2006, from 4,518 tonnes in 2005.

CHAPTER 7 - OUTPUT OF THE AGRICULTURAL INDUSTRY

Agricultural Output is split into 3 groups: Crop Output, Animal Production, and Animal and Animal Products Production. Tables 7.1 to 7.11 refer to the volume, wholesale value and prices per kilogram of the main agricultural products passing through official markets. A total of 44,811 tonnes of fresh vegetables yielding Lm6.7m passed through organized markets in 2006. This represented an increase of 10.8 per cent in volume and an 8.0 per cent increase in the wholesale value when compared to 2005. In 2006, the volume of fresh fruit passing through organized markets increased by 29.2 per cent. Similarly, the wholesale value of fresh fruit rose by 27.5 per cent over the corresponding period. Estimates on the total fruit and vegetable production are shown in tables 7.12 to 7.16. The tables have been compressed to include the major crop products. After taking into consideration direct sales, own consumption and sales to processors, the total estimated vegetable production for 2006 amounted to 83,713 tonnes, up by 5.6 per cent over 2005. The estimated value of vegetable production rose marginally by 0.9 per cent, from Lm12.5m in 2005 to Lm12.6m in 2006. On the other hand, the total estimated volume and value of fresh fruit produced rose by 47.3 per cent and 47.8 per cent respectively.

Tables 7.17 to 7.21 provide statistical information on the slaughtering of livestock and poultry. The total carcass weight of animals slaughtered (excluding rabbits) for 2006 amounted to 13,626 tonnes, a decline of 8.5 per cent over 2005. This drop was mainly attributed to a fall in the number of pigs and broilers slaughtered. Similarly, the producer value of animals slaughtered fell by 6.6 per cent, from Lm10.5m to Lm9.8m in 2006. Table 7.22 and table 7.23 are dedicated to milk production while an estimate for egg production is provided for in Table 7.24. The total estimated milk production for 2006 amounted to 45,308 tonnes, down marginally from the 45,330 tonnes produced in 2005. Egg production, on the other hand, increased by 13.8 per cent, from an estimated 103.2 million eggs in 2005 to 117.5 million eggs in 2006.

CHAPTER 8 - INDICES

Agriculture indices are used to monitor price and volume movements over a period of time. These indices have been compiled since 1995. Fruit and vegetable prices, slaughter prices for livestock and poultry, milk prices and prices for eggs are all used in the compilation of the agricultural price indices.

Price and volume indices of the main fruit and vegetables passing through organized markets can be seen in tables 8.1 to 8.12. The 'all items' vegetable price index for 2006 fell by 3.8 per cent to stand at 82.1 points. On the other hand, the 'all items' vegetable volume index rose by 10.8 per cent from 120.2 points in 2005 to 133.2 points in 2006.

The 'all items' fresh fruit price index rose by 7.3 per cent to 112.9 points in 2006, while the 'all items' fresh fruit volume index rose by 29.2 per cent over the comparative period.

The 'producer price index' for agricultural products is a similar index that uses the same sources for information but provides a level of indices grouped together to have one index for the agricultural industry. This type of index was introduced in the year 2000. Tables 8.13 and 8.14 provide annual and quarterly output indices. The producer price is the price received by the farmer without deducting taxes and without the inclusion of subsidies. In 2006, the producer price index declined by 0.2 per cent to 97.6 points in

2006. Contrasting developments within the sector were responsible for the decline. Whereas prices for potatoes and fresh fruit increased by 13.2 per cent and 2.7 per cent respectively, the prices of fresh vegetables and animal products declined by 2.7 per cent and 2.8 per cent respectively. No change in the prices of forage and animals were recorded.

The 'Input Price Index' measures trends in purchase prices of certain goods and products used to produce agricultural products. Prices for this index are obtained from major retail outlets that sell materials used as intermediated goods used in the production process. Data on annual and quarterly indices for inputs can be seen in tables 8.15 and 8.16. Both these indices have been compiled with a base year 2000. The input price index rose by 2.6 per cent, from 105.9 points in 2005 to 108.7 points in 2006. Energy costs (+13.4 per cent) and other goods and services (+4.5 per cent) were mainly behind the rise in the index.

CHAPTER 9 - ECONOMIC ACCOUNTS FOR AGRICULTURE

The Economic Accounts for Agriculture are a tool to analyse the production process and the incomes generated by the agricultural industry. Gross agricultural production at producer prices for 2006, as shown in table 9.1 amounted to Lm51.9m. This amounted to an increase of 3.2 per cent over 2005. Gross agricultural production is split into two parts: Agricultural output – which represented 91.7 per cent of Gross agricultural production in 2006 and Non-agricultural secondary activities which amounted to 8.3 per cent of Gross agricultural production. Crop output, which amounted to 35.9 per cent of Gross agricultural production rose by 7.2 per cent a year earlier, mainly due to an increase of 47.8 per cent in the Gross production of Fruit. Animal output, which represents 55.8 per cent of Gross production, declined by 2.3 per cent when compared to 2005 due to a drop in pig and poultry production, whose gross production figures declined by 7.6 and 15.0 per cent respectively.

Domestic sales (Table 9.6) which represented 85.1 per cent of the gross agricultural production amounted to Lm44.1m in 2006. Farm consumption amounted to Lm3.8m in 2006 or 7.4 per cent of the gross production. On the other hand, exports of agricultural products, mainly potatoes, amounted to 1.6 per cent of the gross production in 2006.

Final agricultural production (Table 9.2), that is gross production less losses and intra-unit consumption, amounted to Lm48.9m in 2006, an increase of 3.0 per cent, from Lm47.4m in 2005.

Intermediate consumption of the agricultural industry (Table 9.3) for 2006 amounted to Lm28.4m. This represented an increase of 1.5 per cent over 2005. Animal feed, which represented 49.6 per cent of all intermediate consumption declined by 1.7 per cent over the comparative period. On the other hand, energy costs rose by 12.5 per cent as a result of higher prices paid for energy costs.

Subsidies on production amounted to Lm5.5m in 2006. Subsidies not directly linked with production declined by 14.5 per cent to stand at Lm2.4m. Overall, the total subsidies obtained through farming amounted to Lm8.0m in 2006, a decline of 3.1 per cent when compared to 2005.

Factor income of the agricultural industry (Table 9.4) rose by 2.7 per cent, from Lm26.0m in 2005 to Lm26.7m in 2006. Whereas subsidies amounted to 31.6 per cent of factor income in 2005, the dependency of subsidies within factor income declined by 1.8 percentage points to 29.8 per cent in 2006.

CHAPTER 10 - SUPPLY BALANCE SHEETS OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

Supply balance sheets show the countries supply of a specific agricultural product over a specific period of time. The supply of the agricultural product is made up of the total production of the product added to the total quantity of that product imported and adjusted to any change in stocks that may have occurred during the reference period. The supply balance sheets also provide information on the usage of the specific agricultural product.

A set of the most important supply balance sheets have been published. Supply balance sheets are compiled through various sources. The International Trade section within the National Statistics Office provides data on commodity flows. Production data for various agricultural commodities are either compiled through administrative sources, surveys or expert estimates are also used where no administrative records or surveys are used.

CHAPTER 11 - FISHERIES

The Malta Centre for Fisheries Sciences is obliged to keep an updated register on all licensed fishing vessels in Malta. The Maltastat fishing fleet register was established in collaboration with the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) of the United Nations.

Every year the Agriculture and Fisheries Unit obtains a snapshot of all fishing vessels within the register. Information on the vessel length, license, type, and port are included in tables 11.1 to 11.5. The total amount of fishing vessels recorded in 2006 amounted to 2,260 vessels, of which 41.9 per cent of all vessels were between 5 and 10 metres in length. Multi-purpose vessels are still the dominant fishing vessel making up 41.2 per cent of the total fishing vessel register.

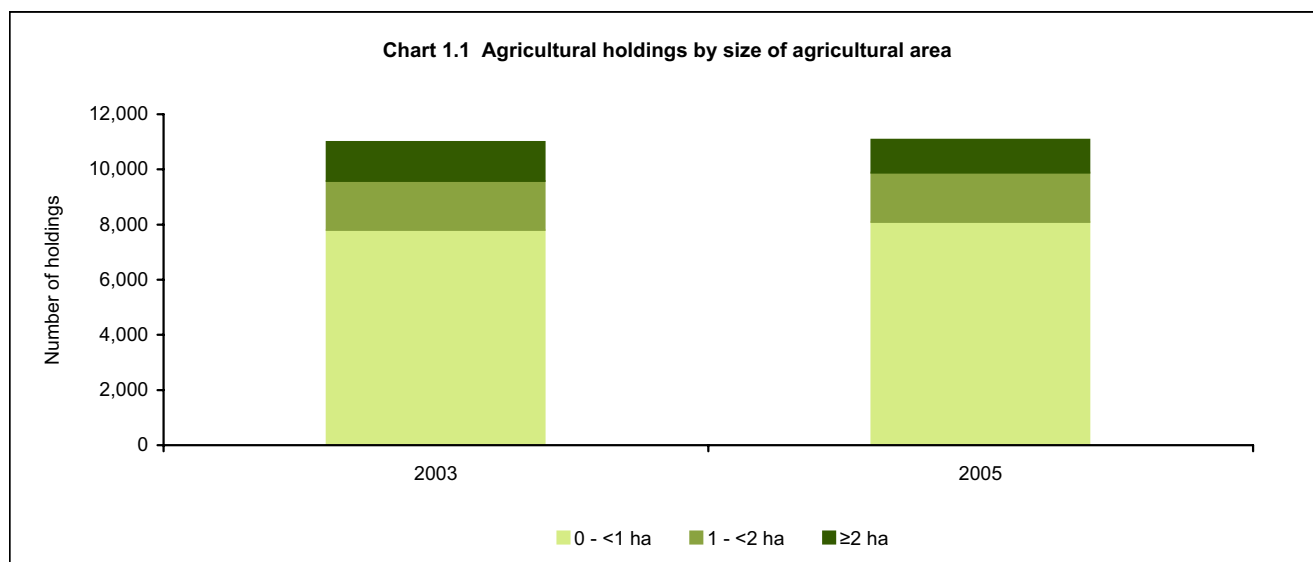
Tables 11.6 to 11.8 have been compiled with statistics on monthly fish landings obtained from the official fish market. These tables include the weight, wholesale value and price per kilogram of the major species landed. The volume of fish landings at the local fish market in 2006 amounted to 1,296 tonnes, a decline of 3.0 per cent over 2005. Dorado, Swordfish, and Blue Fin Tuna made up 79.1 per cent of the total landings in 2006. In 2006, the wholesale value of fish landings in 2006, declined by 2.8 per cent.

Price and volume indices of the main species landed as published in tables 11.9 to 11.14 have only been included in this publication. The fresh fish price index rose by 10.1 per cent on account of an increase in prices of Swordfish landings resulting from a decline in Swordfish landings. Blue Fin Tuna prices experienced similar patterns while the price per kilogram of Dorado fell on account of an increase in 25.1 per cent of Dorado landings. In 2006, the annual fresh fish volume index declined by 3.0 per cent mainly due to a drop in the landings of Swordfish and Blue Fin Tuna.

Chapter 1 - Agricultural Holdings and Land

1.1 Agricultural holdings by size of utilised agricultural area

	Size class of UAA: Hectares							
	Total	0	>0 - <0.5	0.5 - <1	1 - <2	2 - <5	5 - <10	≥10
MALTA								
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	10,987	206	5,080	2,516	1,767	1,173	216	29
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	11,071	190	5,330	2,572	1,782	966	202	29
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta								
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	8,599	198	3,801	1,919	1,475	1,004	190	12
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	8,660	166	4,124	1,940	1,420	833	165	12
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino								
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	2,388	8	1,279	597	292	169	26	17
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	2,411	24	1,206	632	362	133	37	17
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:



1.2 Utilised agricultural area by size of utilised agricultural area

	Size class of UAA: Hectares						
	Total	>0 - <0.5	0.5 - <1	1 - <2	2 - <5	5 - <10	≥10
MALTA							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	10,794	1,259	1,789	2,445	3,400	1,428	473
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	10,254	1,331	1,754	2,483	2,919	1,300	466
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	8,667	944	1,359	2,041	2,876	1,253	194
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	8,119	1,053	1,311	1,954	2,525	1,073	203
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	2,127	315	429	404	525	175	279
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	2,135	278	443	529	394	227	263
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

1.3 Area under forage by size of utilised agricultural area

	Size class of UAA: Hectares						
	Total	>0 - <0.5	0.5 - <1	1 - <2	2 - <5	5 - <10	≥10
MALTA							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	5,197	399	875	1,284	1,635	630	374
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	4,574	385	843	1,251	1,228	571	295
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	3,921	290	660	1,006	1,333	515	117
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	3,237	271	566	913	1,007	411	69
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	1,276	110	214	278	302	115	257
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	1,336	113	277	339	221	160	226
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

1.4 Area under potatoes by size of utilised agricultural area

	Size class of UAA: Hectares						
	Total	>0 - <0.5	0.5 - <1	1 - <2	2 - <5	5 - <10	≥10
MALTA							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	1,207	181	198	271	436	118	3
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	820	53	89	215	342	106	16
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	1,128	160	173	264	411	117	3
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	779	49	82	203	333	104	8
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	79	21	24	6	26	1	1
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	41	4	6	12	9	2	8
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

1.5 Area under permanent cropping excluding vineyards by size of utilised agricultural area

	Size class of UAA: Hectares						
	Total	>0 - <0.5	0.5 - <1	1 - <2	2 - <5	5 - <10	≥10
MALTA							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	465	54	75	91	163	74	8
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	429	28	53	103	153	77	16
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	374	37	57	73	129	69	8
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	353	21	37	71	137	71	15
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	91	16	18	18	34	6	0
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	76	6	16	31	16	6	1
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

1.6 Area under vineyards by size of utilised agricultural area

	Size class of UAA: Hectares						
	Total	>0 - <0.5	0.5 - <1	1 - <2	2 - <5	5 - <10	≥10
MALTA							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	615	68	94	116	194	115	28
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	661	68	76	168	202	93	54
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	555	58	74	102	185	113	24
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	600	62	67	155	179	89	48
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	60	10	20	14	9	3	4
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	61	6	9	12	23	4	7
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

1.7 Area under market gardening crops by size of utilised agricultural area

	Size class of UAA: Hectares						
	Total	>0 - <0.5	0.5 - <1	1 - <2	2 - <5	5 - <10	≥10
MALTA							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	2,083	213	323	376	759	390	21
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	1,594	64	119	326	706	313	66
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	1,631	126	214	321	613	346	11
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	1,289	47	83	241	602	265	50
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino							
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	452	88	110	54	146	44	10
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	305	16	36	85	104	48	16
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

1.8 Utilised agricultural area (hectares) by type of crop

	Type of crop								
	Total	Potatoes	Forage	Permanent cropping exc. Vineyards	Vineyards	Market gardening	Kitchen gardens	Other areas ^a	Fallow land
MALTA									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	10,793	1,207	5,197	465	615	2,083	423	107	696
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	10,254	820	4,574	429	661	1,594	968	93	1,115
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	8,666	1,127	3,921	374	555	1,631	342	95	620
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	8,119	779	3,237	353	600	1,289	777	67	1,016
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	2,127	79	1,276	91	60	452	80	12	76
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	2,135	41	1,336	76	61	305	191	26	99
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

^a Other areas include area under greenhouses and flowers and ornamental plants grown in the open.

1.9 Area under vineyards by type of vine

	Type of vine			
	Total	Local varieties for the production of wine	International varieties for the production of wine	Table grapes
MALTA				
2002	:	:	:	:
2003	615	332	131	152
2004	:	:	:	:
2005	661	309	276	76
2006	:	:	:	:
Malta				
2002	:	:	:	:
2003	555	290	116	149
2004	:	:	:	:
2005	600	296	234	70
2006	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino				
2002	:	:	:	:
2003	60	42	16	3
2004	:	:	:	:
2005	61	13	41	6
2006	:	:	:	:

1.10 Area under vineyards by size of vineyard

	Size class of vineyard: Hectares				
	Total	>0 - <0.25	0.25 - <0.5	0.5 - <1.0	≥1.0
MALTA					
2002	:	:	:	:	:
2003	615	209	127	123	157
2004	:	:	:	:	:
2005	661	127	168	140	225
2006	:	:	:	:	:
Malta					
2002	:	:	:	:	:
2003	555	176	107	122	150
2004	:	:	:	:	:
2005	600	110	156	123	211
2006	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino					
2002	:	:	:	:	:
2003	60	33	19	1	7
2004	:	:	:	:	:
2005	61	17	13	17	14
2006	:	:	:	:	:

Chapter 2 - Employment in Agriculture

2.1 Total employment (number of persons) in agriculture by sex

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
MALTA					
Total employment	:	17,868	:	17,968	:
Males	:	14,045	:	14,464	:
Females	:	3,823	:	3,504	:
Malta					
Total employment	:	14,331	:	14,401	:
Males	:	11,041	:	11,521	:
Females	:	3,290	:	2,880	:
Gozo and Comino					
Total employment	:	3,537	:	3,567	:
Males	:	3,004	:	2,943	:
Females	:	533	:	624	:

2.2 Total employment (number of persons) in agriculture by type of employment

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
MALTA					
Total employment	:	17,868	:	17,968	:
Full-time	:	1,580	:	1,546	:
Part-time	:	16,288	:	16,422	:
Malta					
Total employment	:	14,331	:	14,401	:
Full-time	:	1,359	:	1,270	:
Part-time	:	12,972	:	13,131	:
Gozo and Comino					
Total employment	:	3,537	:	3,567	:
Full-time	:	221	:	276	:
Part-time	:	3,316	:	3,291	:

2.3 Full-time employment (number of persons) in agriculture by sex

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
MALTA					
Full-time employment	:	1,580	:	1,546	:
Males	:	1,458	:	1,426	:
Females	:	122	:	120	:
Malta					
Full-time employment	:	1,359	:	1,270	:
Males	:	1,243	:	1,168	:
Females	:	116	:	102	:
Gozo and Comino					
Full-time employment	:	221	:	276	:
Males	:	215	:	258	:
Females	:	6	:	18	:

2.4 Part-time employment (number of persons) in agriculture by sex

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
MALTA					
Part-time employment	:	16,288	:	16,422	:
Males	:	12,587	:	13,038	:
Females	:	3,701	:	3,384	:
Malta					
Part-time employment	:	12,972	:	13,131	:
Males	:	9,798	:	10,353	:
Females	:	3,174	:	2,778	:
Gozo and Comino					
Part-time employment	:	3,316	:	3,291	:
Males	:	2,789	:	2,685	:
Females	:	527	:	606	:

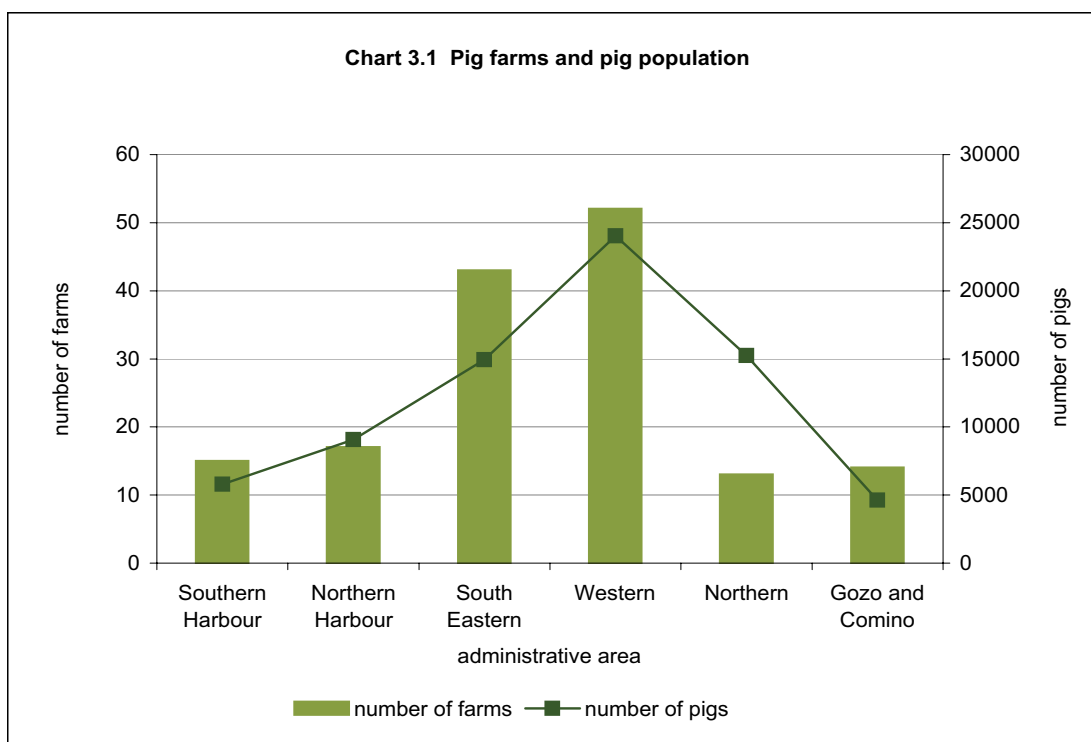
2.5 Total employment (number of persons) in agriculture by Annual Work Unit (AWU)

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
MALTA					
Total employment	:	17,868	:	17,968	:
>0 - <25% AWU	:	10,365	:	13,624	:
25 - <50% AWU	:	3,458	:	1,788	:
50 - <75% AWU	:	1,768	:	578	:
75 - <100% AWU	:	697	:	432	:
≥100% AWU	:	1,580	:	1,546	:
Malta					
Total employment	:	14,331	:	14,401	:
>0 - <25% AWU	:	8,271	:	10,978	:
25 - <50% AWU	:	2,791	:	1,513	:
50 - <75% AWU	:	1,313	:	375	:
75 - <100% AWU	:	597	:	265	:
≥100% AWU	:	1,359	:	1,270	:
Gozo and Comino					
Total employment	:	3,537	:	3,567	:
>0 - <25% AWU	:	2,094	:	2,646	:
25 - <50% AWU	:	667	:	275	:
50 - <75% AWU	:	455	:	203	:
75 - <100% AWU	:	100	:	167	:
≥100% AWU	:	221	:	276	:

Chapter 3 - The Pig Industry

3.1 Pig farms and pig population

	Number	
	Farms	Pigs
MALTA	154	73,683
Malta	140	69,051
Gozo and Comino	14	4,632
Southern Harbour	15	5,785
Northern Harbour	17	9,056
South Eastern	43	14,930
Western	52	24,034
Northern	13	15,246
Gozo and Comino	14	4,632



3.2 Pig population by type of pig

	Type of pig						
	Total	Piglets <20Kgs	Young pigs 20 - 50 Kgs	Fattening pigs > 51Kgs	Breeding sows	Gilts	Breeding boars
MALTA	73,683	18,341	20,701	26,315	7,144	693	489
Malta	69,051	16,842	19,520	25,027	6,580	649	433
Gozo and Comino	4,632	1,499	1,181	1,288	564	44	56
Southern Harbour	5,785	1,270	1,821	2,090	495	68	41
Northern Harbour	9,056	2,225	2,567	3,316	822	64	62
South Eastern	14,930	3,613	4,897	4,740	1,434	144	102
Western	24,034	6,223	6,433	8,682	2,279	256	161
Northern	15,246	3,511	3,802	6,199	1,550	117	67
Gozo and Comino	4,632	1,499	1,181	1,288	564	44	56

3.3 Pig population by size class of pigs

	Size class: Number of pigs					
	Total	1-49	50-99	100-199	200-399	≥400
MALTA	73,683	210	922	4,853	12,338	55,360
Malta	69,051	166	825	4,452	11,269	52,339
Gozo and Comino	4,632	44	97	401	1,069	3,021
Southern Harbour	5,785	42	92	673	819	4,159
Northern Harbour	9,056	20	65	595	1,087	7,289
South Eastern	14,930	40	238	1,923	3,842	8,887
Western	24,034	64	430	1,261	4,535	17,744
Northern	15,246	0	0	0	986	14,260
Gozo and Comino	4,632	44	97	401	1,069	3,021

3.4 Breeding females by size class of breeding females

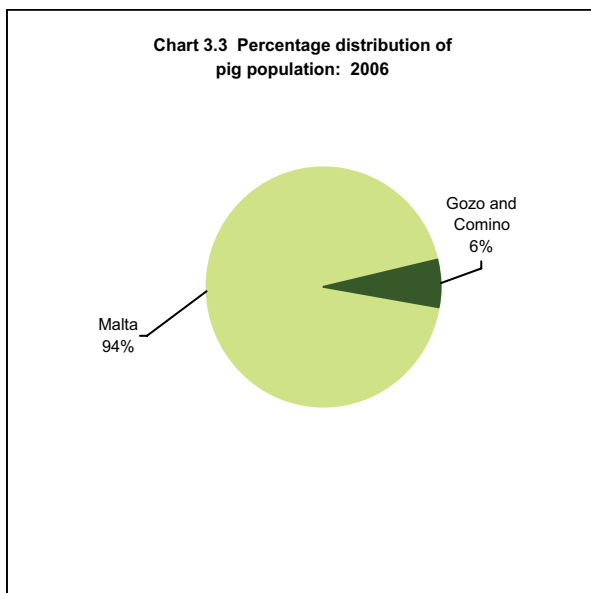
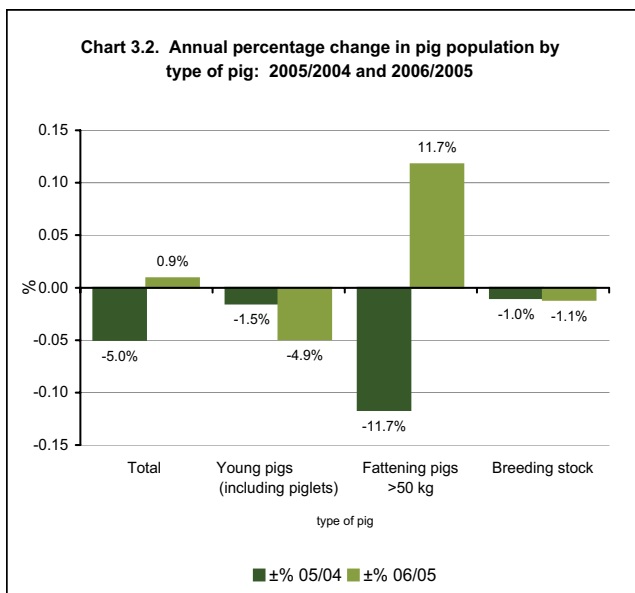
	Size class: Number of breeding females					
	Total	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	≥100
MALTA	7,841	13	424	2,004	2,062	3,338
Malta	7,233	8	382	1,738	2,062	3,043
Gozo and Comino	608	5	42	266	0	295
Southern Harbour	563	0	55	187	202	119
Northern Harbour	886	0	15	197	375	299
South Eastern	1,582	0	133	760	571	118
Western	2,535	8	179	476	687	1,185
Northern	1,667	0	0	118	227	1,322
Gozo and Comino	608	5	42	266	0	295

3.5 Pig population and pig farms by size class of pigs

	Size class: Number of pigs					
	Total	1-49	50-99	100-199	200-399	≥400
MALTA						
Number of pigs	73,683	210	922	4,853	12,338	55,360
Number of pig farms	154	9	12	31	42	60
Malta						
Number of pigs	69,051	166	825	4,452	11,269	52,339
Number of pig farms	140	8	11	28	38	55
Gozo and Comino						
Number of pigs	4,632	44	97	401	1,069	3,021
Number of pig farms	14	1	1	3	4	5

3.6 Annual pig population by type of pig

	Type of pig			
	Total	Young pigs (including piglets)	Fattening pigs >50 kg	Breeding stock
MALTA				
2002	78,273	40,227	30,252	7,794
2003	73,067	39,885	24,996	8,186
2004	76,853	41,688	26,660	8,505
2005	73,025	41,054	23,549	8,422
2006	73,683	39,042	26,315	8,326
±% 04/03	5.2%	4.5%	6.7%	3.9%
±% 05/04	-5.0%	-1.5%	-11.7%	-1.0%
±% 06/05	0.9%	-4.9%	11.7%	-1.1%
Malta				
2002	73,547	37,558	28,780	7,209
2003	68,022	37,535	23,012	7,475
2004	71,939	39,166	25,058	7,715
2005	68,722	38,855	22,187	7,680
2006	69,051	36,362	25,027	7,662
±% 04/03	5.8%	4.3%	8.9%	3.2%
±% 05/04	-4.5%	-0.8%	-11.5%	-0.5%
±% 06/05	0.5%	-6.4%	12.8%	-0.2%
Gozo and Comino				
2002	4,726	2,669	1,472	585
2003	5,045	2,350	1,984	711
2004	4,914	2,522	1,602	790
2005	4,303	2,199	1,362	742
2006	4,632	2,680	1,288	664
±% 04/03	-2.6%	7.3%	-19.3%	11.1%
±% 05/04	-12.4%	-12.8%	-15.0%	-6.1%
±% 06/05	7.6%	21.9%	-5.4%	-10.5%



3.7 Monthly pig slaughters (number of heads)

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
MALTA													
2002	126,856	11,585	10,044	9,531	10,679	10,790	9,031	10,749	10,315	10,044	11,869	11,832	10,387
2003	121,230	11,942	9,876	10,773	11,104	10,105	8,939	10,156	8,587	9,381	10,943	9,048	10,376
2004	104,504	9,086	8,472	9,254	9,578	7,929	8,434	8,128	8,184	8,685	8,115	8,829	9,810
2005	108,210	7,973	7,847	9,111	8,184	8,397	8,441	8,923	9,951	9,036	9,099	10,412	10,836
2006	103,562	8,162	8,221	9,405	8,075	9,061	7,356	6,744	9,320	8,316	8,929	10,369	9,604
±% 04/03	-13.8%	-23.9%	-14.2%	-14.1%	-13.7%	-21.5%	-5.6%	-20.0%	-4.7%	-7.4%	-25.8%	-2.4%	-5.5%
±% 05/04	3.5%	-12.2%	-7.4%	-1.5%	-14.6%	5.9%	0.1%	9.8%	21.6%	4.0%	12.1%	17.9%	10.5%
±% 06/05	-4.3%	2.4%	4.8%	3.2%	-1.3%	7.9%	-12.9%	-24.4%	-6.3%	-8.0%	-1.9%	-0.4%	-11.4%
Malta													
2002	120,189	11,041	9,595	9,135	10,027	10,271	8,508	10,098	9,798	9,380	11,321	11,310	9,705
2003	114,917	11,413	9,359	10,242	10,453	9,584	8,280	9,689	8,183	8,822	10,406	8,699	9,787
2004	102,567	8,660	7,985	8,646	9,178	7,925	8,431	8,128	8,182	8,684	8,111	8,828	9,809
2005	108,196	7,970	7,844	9,109	8,184	8,397	8,440	8,923	9,949	9,033	9,099	10,412	10,836
2006	103,558	8,161	8,221	9,404	8,075	9,061	7,355	6,744	9,319	8,316	8,929	10,369	9,604
±% 04/03	-10.7%	-24.1%	-14.7%	-15.6%	-12.2%	-17.3%	1.8%	-16.1%	0.0%	-1.6%	-22.1%	1.5%	0.2%
±% 05/04	5.5%	-8.0%	-1.8%	5.4%	-10.8%	6.0%	0.1%	9.8%	21.6%	4.0%	12.2%	17.9%	10.5%
±% 06/05	-4.3%	2.4%	4.8%	3.2%	-1.3%	7.9%	-12.9%	-24.4%	-6.3%	-7.9%	-1.9%	-0.4%	-11.4%
Gozo and Comino													
2002	6,667	544	449	396	652	519	523	651	517	664	548	522	682
2003	6,313	529	517	531	651	521	659	467	404	559	537	349	589
2004	1,937	426	487	608	400	4	3	0	2	1	4	1	1
2005	14	3	3	2	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	0	0
2006	4	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
±% 04/03	-69.3%	-19.5%	-5.8%	14.5%	-38.6%	-99.2%	-99.5%	-100.0%	-99.5%	-99.8%	-99.3%	-99.7%	-99.8%
±% 05/04	-99.3%	-99.3%	-99.4%	-99.7%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-66.7%	-	0.0%	200.0%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-100.0%
±% 06/05	-71.4%	-66.7%	-100.0%	-50.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-50.0%	-100.0%	-	-	-

Note: "-" sign implies that no slaughters were registered in the same month of the previous year.

3.8 Monthly pig slaughters (carcass weight: tonnes)

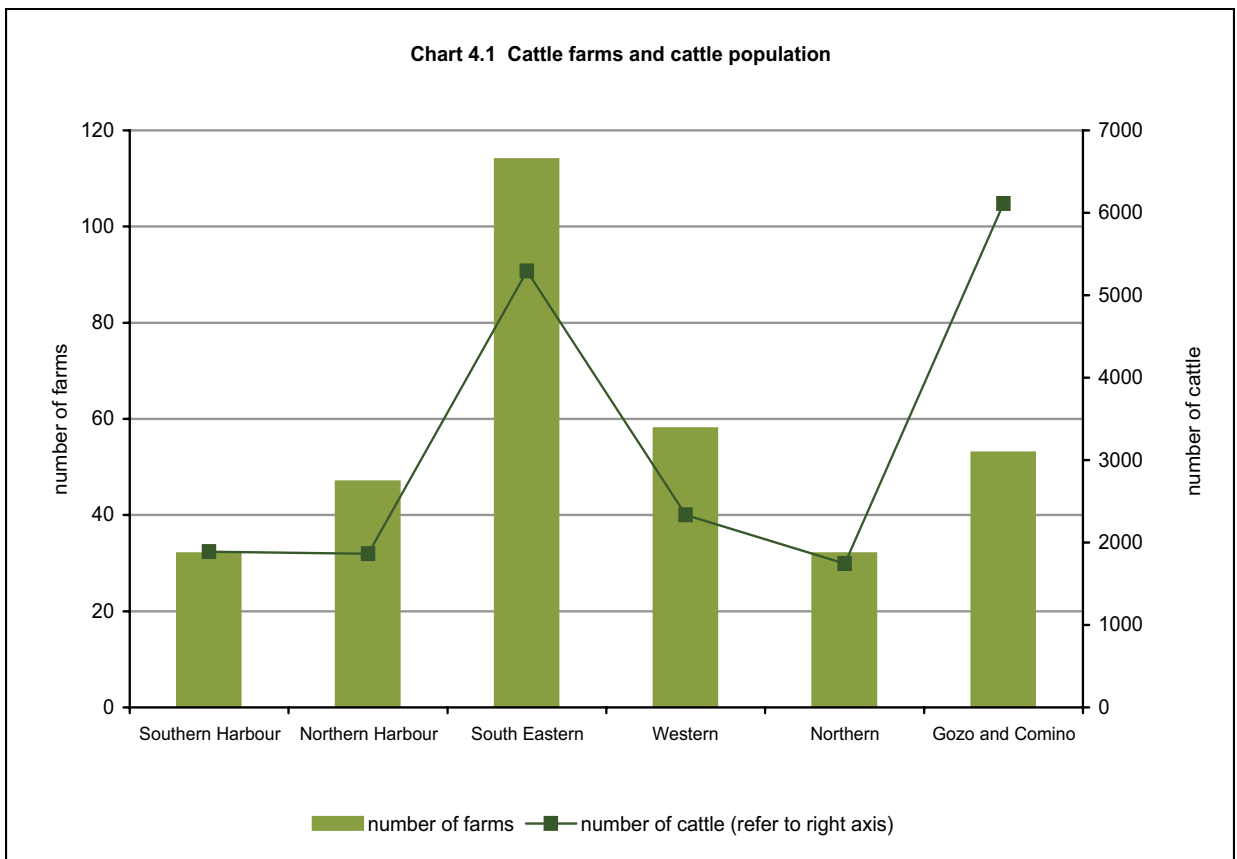
	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
MALTA													
2002	10,405	961	831	788	883	895	738	873	822	811	975	982	848
2003	9,822	992	810	885	913	821	720	802	673	748	887	737	835
2004	8,470	745	687	748	778	640	677	635	638	684	674	746	819
2005	8,889	676	650	763	696	712	700	726	804	726	745	846	846
2006	8,218	652	662	754	648	729	579	522	723	648	704	830	765
±% 04/03	-13.8%	-24.9%	-15.2%	-15.4%	-14.8%	-22.1%	-6.0%	-20.9%	-5.2%	-8.5%	-24.1%	1.3%	-1.9%
±% 05/04	5.0%	-9.3%	-5.4%	2.0%	-10.5%	11.3%	3.4%	14.3%	26.0%	6.2%	10.6%	13.4%	3.2%
±% 06/05	-7.6%	-3.6%	2.0%	-1.3%	-6.9%	2.4%	-17.2%	-28.0%	-10.1%	-10.8%	-5.5%	-1.9%	-9.5%
Malta													
2002	9,851	915	793	754	828	851	696	820	780	757	928	938	791
2003	9,302	948	767	840	858	777	666	763	641	702	844	708	788
2004	8,311	710	646	698	746	639	676	635	638	684	673	746	819
2005	8,888	676	649	763	696	712	700	726	804	726	745	846	846
2006	8,217	651	662	754	648	729	579	522	723	648	704	830	765
±% 04/03	-10.7%	-25.1%	-15.7%	-16.9%	-13.1%	-17.8%	1.6%	-16.8%	-0.4%	-2.6%	-20.2%	5.3%	4.0%
±% 05/04	6.9%	-4.9%	0.4%	9.3%	-6.7%	11.4%	3.4%	14.3%	26.0%	6.1%	10.7%	13.4%	3.2%
±% 06/05	-7.5%	-3.6%	2.0%	-1.3%	-6.9%	2.4%	-17.2%	-28.0%	-10.1%	-10.7%	-5.5%	-1.9%	-9.5%
Gozo and Comino													
2002	554	46	38	33	55	43	43	53	42	54	46	44	57
2003	520	43	43	45	55	43	54	39	33	45	44	29	48
2004	159	35	40	50	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2005	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2006	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
±% 04/03	-69.5%	-19.7%	-6.0%	12.7%	-42.3%	-99.0%	-99.4%	-100.0%	-99.7%	-99.7%	-99.1%	-99.7%	-99.8%
±% 05/04	-99.0%	-99.1%	-99.1%	-99.6%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-88.0%	-	99.0%	238.5%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-100.0%
±% 06/05	-74.3%	-67.7%	-100.0%	-42.7%	-	-	128.9%	-	-53.8%	-100.0%	-	-	-

Note: "-" sign implies that no slaughters were registered in the same month of the previous year.

Chapter 4 - The Cattle Industry

4.1 Cattle farms and cattle population

	Number	
	Farms	Cattle
MALTA	336	19,233
Malta	283	13,123
Gozo and Comino	53	6,110
Southern Harbour	32	1,887
Northern Harbour	47	1,865
South Eastern	114	5,292
Western	58	2,336
Northern	32	1,743
Gozo and Comino	53	6,110



4.2 Cattle population by age and sex

	Type of cattle										
	Total	Cattle less than 1 year		Cattle between 1 and 2 years			Cattle over 2 years				
		Males	Females	Males	Female heifers	Females other	Males	Heifers for slaughter	Heifers other	Dairy cows	Other cows
MALTA	19,233	2,659	2,729	2,186	1,772	1,149	614	46	391	7,494	193
Malta	13,123	1,848	1,801	1,601	1,226	787	491	30	258	4,901	180
Gozo and Comino	6,110	811	928	585	546	362	123	16	133	2,593	13
Southern Harbour	1,887	268	279	220	169	111	70	3	39	718	10
Northern Harbour	1,865	214	289	188	190	122	64	3	39	746	10
South Eastern	5,292	847	678	736	516	328	202	12	93	1,777	103
Western	2,336	349	305	327	172	107	121	8	45	870	32
Northern	1,743	170	250	130	179	119	34	4	42	790	25
Gozo and Comino	6,110	811	928	585	546	362	123	16	133	2,593	13

4.3 Cattle population by herd size

	Herd size: Number of cattle							
	Total	1-2	3-9	10-19	20-29	30-49	50-99	≥100
MALTA	19,233	72	408	551	702	1,115	3,518	12,867
Malta	13,123	67	375	525	680	1,008	2,395	8,073
Gozo and Comino	6,110	5	33	26	22	107	1,123	4,794
Southern Harbour	1,887	5	48	21	75	72	389	1,277
Northern Harbour	1,865	13	70	54	69	101	503	1,055
South Eastern	5,292	20	176	205	410	454	978	3,049
Western	2,336	22	53	166	73	225	257	1,540
Northern	1,743	7	28	79	53	156	268	1,152
Gozo and Comino	6,110	5	33	26	22	107	1,123	4,794

Chart 4.2. Percentage distribution of cattle by herd size: MALTA

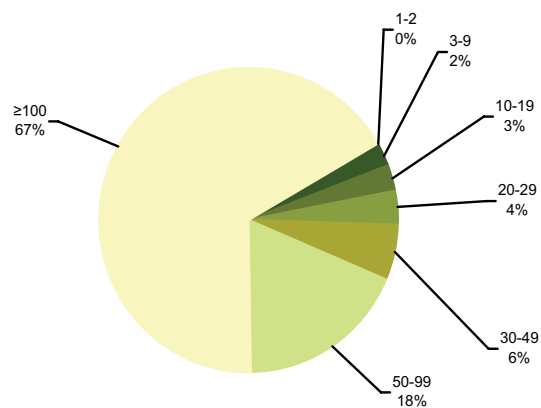
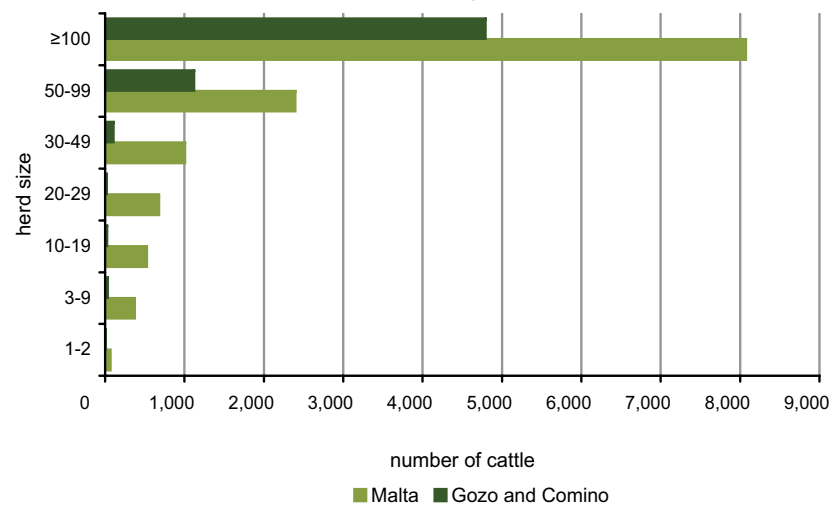


Chart 4.3. Cattle by herd size



4.4 Dairy cows by size class of dairy cows

	Size class: Number of dairy cows							
	Total	1-2	3-9	10-19	20-29	30-49	50-99	≥100
MALTA	7,494	3	67	250	516	1,608	2,556	2,494
Malta	4,901	3	55	236	371	1,011	1,841	1,384
Gozo and Comino	2,593	0	12	14	145	597	715	1,110
Southern Harbour	718	0	0	26	83	120	254	235
Northern Harbour	746	2	10	17	0	280	296	141
South Eastern	1,777	0	30	62	102	247	836	500
Western	870	0	15	55	24	82	455	239
Northern	790	1	0	76	162	282	0	269
Gozo and Comino	2,593	0	12	14	145	597	715	1,110

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Chart 4.4 Percentage distribution of dairy cows by size class: MALTA

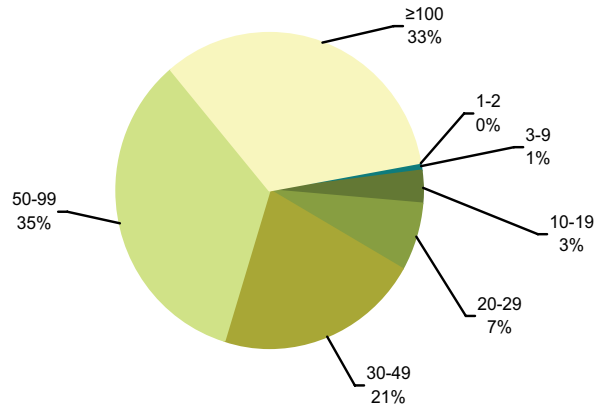
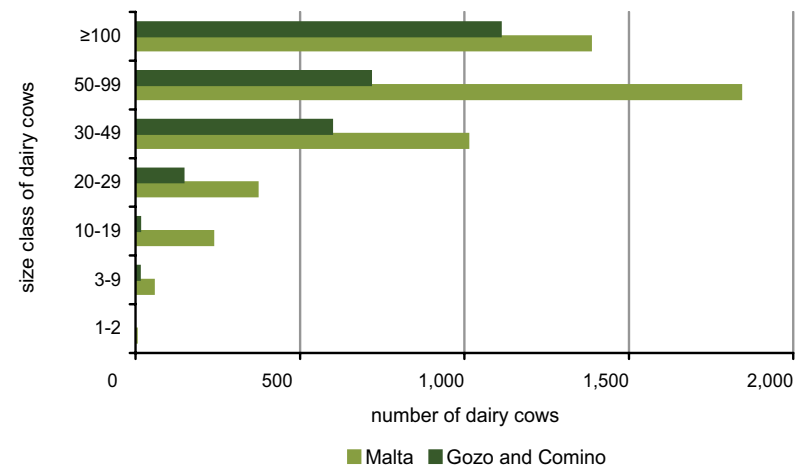
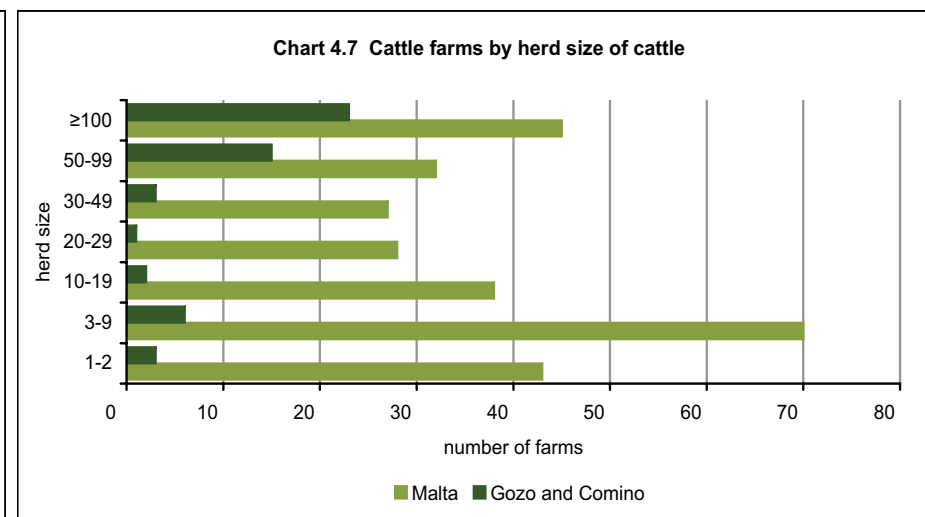
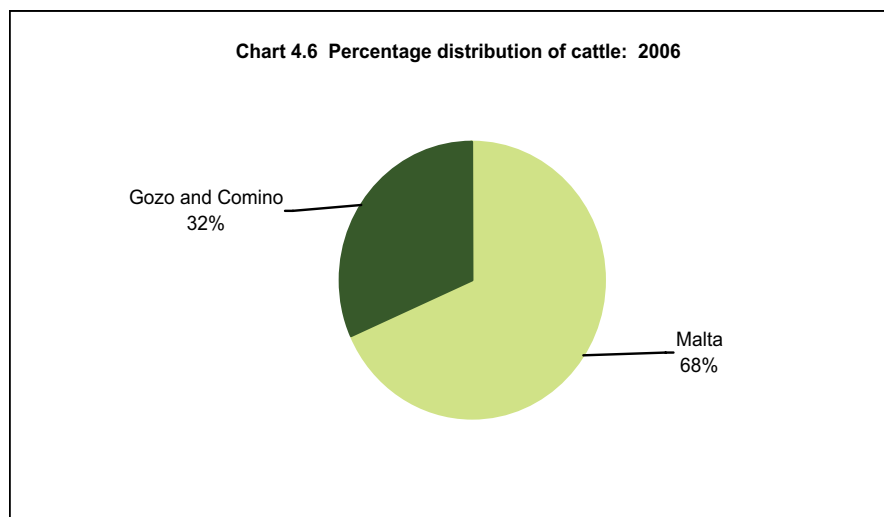


Chart 4.5 Dairy cows by size class



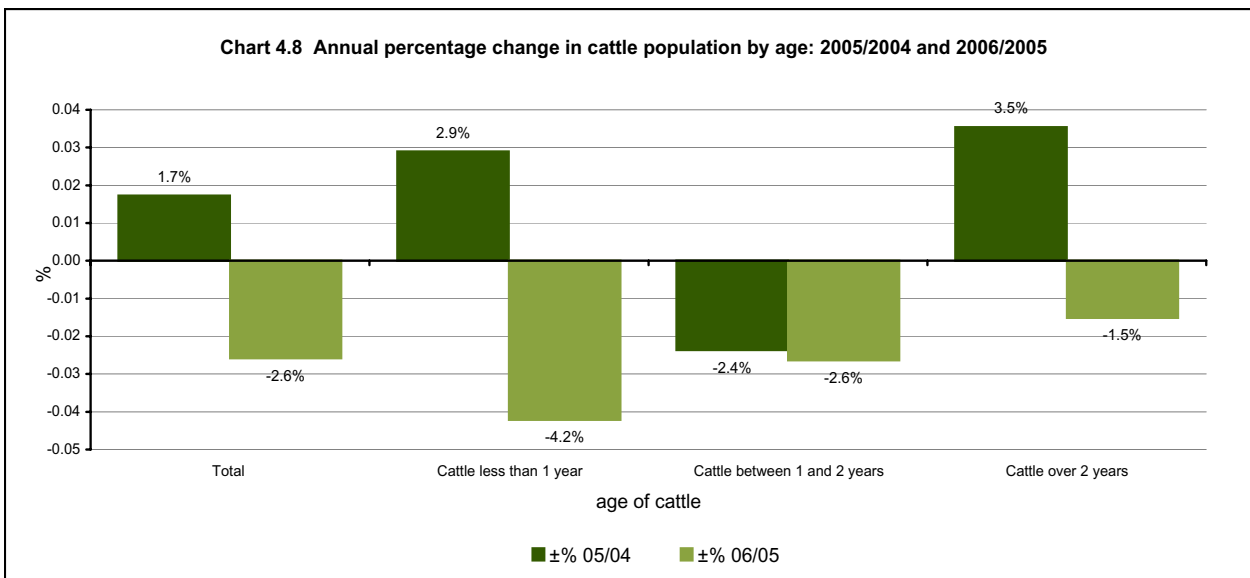
4.5 Cattle population and cattle farms by herd size

	Herd size: Number of cattle							
	Total	1-2	3-9	10-19	20-29	30-49	50-99	≥100
MALTA								
Number of cattle	19,233	72	408	551	702	1,115	3,518	12,867
Number of farms	336	46	76	40	29	30	47	68
Malta								
Number of cattle	13,123	67	375	525	680	1,008	2,395	8,073
Number of farms	283	43	70	38	28	27	32	45
Gozo and Comino								
Number of cattle	6,110	5	33	26	22	107	1,123	4,794
Number of farms	53	3	6	2	1	3	15	23



4.6 Annual cattle population by type of cattle

	Type of cattle			
	Total	Cattle less than 1 year	Cattle between 1 and 2 years	Cattle over 2 years
MALTA				
2002	18,770	4,998	4,989	8,783
2003	17,940	4,909	4,938	8,093
2004	19,408	5,467	5,372	8,569
2005	19,742	5,625	5,245	8,872
2006	19,233	5,388	5,107	8,738
±% 04/03	8.2%	11.4%	8.8%	5.9%
±% 05/04	1.7%	2.9%	-2.4%	3.5%
±% 06/05	-2.6%	-4.2%	-2.6%	-1.5%
Malta				
2002	13,046	3,466	3,516	6,064
2003	12,178	3,329	3,369	5,480
2004	13,393	3,741	3,753	5,899
2005	13,758	3,916	3,621	6,221
2006	13,123	3,649	3,614	5,860
±% 04/03	10.0%	12.4%	11.4%	7.6%
±% 05/04	2.7%	4.7%	-3.5%	5.5%
±% 06/05	-4.6%	-6.8%	-0.2%	-5.8%
Gozo and Comino				
2002	5,724	1,532	1,473	2,719
2003	5,762	1,580	1,569	2,613
2004	6,015	1,726	1,619	2,670
2005	5,984	1,709	1,624	2,651
2006	6,110	1,739	1,493	2,878
±% 04/03	4.4%	9.2%	3.2%	2.2%
±% 05/04	-0.5%	-1.0%	0.3%	-0.7%
±% 06/05	2.1%	1.8%	-8.1%	8.6%



4.7 Monthly cattle slaughters (number of heads)

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
MALTA													
2002	5,960	430	484	541	679	525	512	644	418	134	502	518	573
2003	5,195	493	468	412	482	386	456	315	346	480	428	420	509
2004	4,822	323	330	475	404	410	335	327	439	390	428	555	406
2005	5,287	542	466	430	441	505	368	353	397	352	544	424	465
2006	5,205	523	444	419	387	471	374	452	338	399	508	416	474
±% 04/03	-7.2%	-34.5%	-29.5%	15.3%	-16.2%	6.2%	-26.5%	3.8%	26.9%	-18.8%	0.0%	32.1%	-20.2%
±% 05/04	9.6%	67.8%	41.2%	-9.5%	9.2%	23.2%	9.9%	8.0%	-9.6%	-9.7%	27.1%	-23.6%	14.5%
±% 06/05	-1.6%	-3.5%	-4.7%	-2.6%	-12.2%	-6.7%	1.6%	28.0%	-14.9%	13.4%	-6.6%	-1.9%	1.9%
Malta													
2002	5,651	408	462	518	656	506	490	619	401	104	478	479	530
2003	4,820	457	435	372	451	357	420	291	318	450	400	394	475
2004	4,669	291	286	439	379	408	333	325	437	387	426	552	406
2005	5,258	540	464	429	440	503	364	351	394	349	540	420	464
2006	5,190	519	444	416	384	471	373	452	336	397	508	416	474
±% 04/03	-3.1%	-36.3%	-34.3%	18.0%	-16.0%	14.3%	-20.7%	11.7%	37.4%	-14.0%	6.5%	40.1%	-14.5%
±% 05/04	12.6%	85.6%	62.2%	-2.3%	16.1%	23.3%	9.3%	8.0%	-9.8%	-9.8%	26.8%	-23.9%	14.3%
±% 06/05	-1.3%	-3.9%	-4.3%	-3.0%	-12.7%	-6.4%	2.5%	28.8%	-14.7%	13.8%	-5.9%	-1.0%	2.2%
Gozo and Comino													
2002	309	22	22	23	23	19	22	25	17	30	24	39	43
2003	375	36	33	40	31	29	36	24	28	30	28	26	34
2004	153	32	44	36	25	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	0
2005	29	2	2	1	1	2	4	2	3	3	4	4	1
2006	15	4	0	3	3	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	0
±% 04/03	-59.2%	-11.1%	33.3%	-10.0%	-19.4%	-93.1%	-94.4%	-91.7%	-92.9%	-90.0%	-92.9%	-88.5%	-100.0%
±% 05/04	-81.0%	-93.8%	-95.5%	-97.2%	-96.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	100.0%	33.3%	-
±% 06/05	-48.3%	100.0%	-100.0%	200.0%	200.0%	-100.0%	-75.0%	-100.0%	-33.3%	-33.3%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-100.0%

Note: "-" sign implies that no slaughters were registered in the same month of the previous year.

4.8 Monthly cattle slaughters (carcass weight: tonnes)

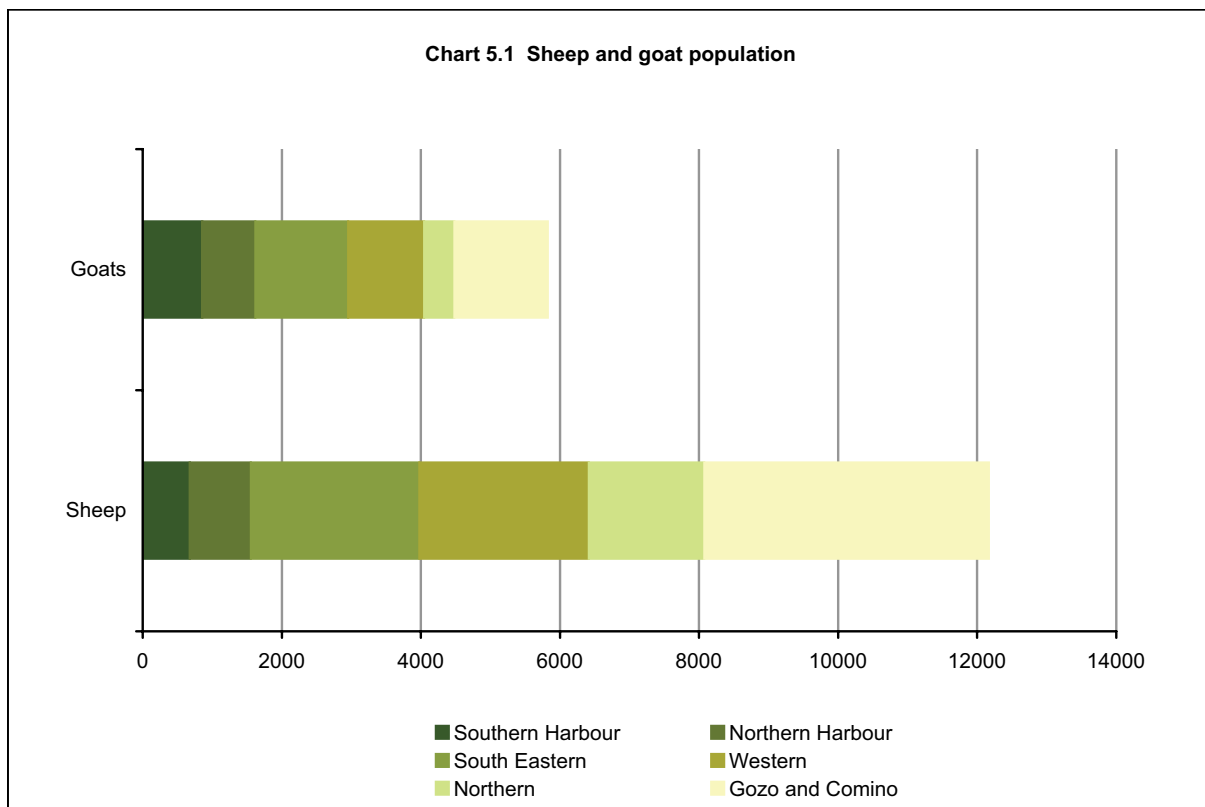
	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
MALTA													
2002	1,636	119	133	149	187	146	138	174	115	36	138	143	160
2003	1,408	135	129	113	131	106	123	85	92	128	117	113	136
2004	1,290	86	87	127	110	108	87	84	117	103	116	152	112
2005	1,390	146	121	112	115	132	98	88	108	95	141	113	121
2006	1,398	136	118	112	103	125	102	120	91	107	140	113	131
±% 04/03	-8.4%	-36.1%	-32.4%	13.2%	-15.9%	1.2%	-29.7%	-0.6%	27.6%	-19.5%	-1.0%	35.0%	-17.8%
±% 05/04	7.7%	68.6%	38.8%	-12.0%	4.2%	23.0%	13.6%	4.0%	-8.2%	-7.7%	21.4%	-25.7%	8.6%
±% 06/05	0.6%	-6.4%	-2.6%	-0.6%	-10.0%	-5.1%	3.4%	36.9%	-15.7%	12.9%	-0.7%	-0.3%	8.0%
Malta													
2002	1,561	113	128	143	182	139	133	169	111	29	132	133	149
2003	1,319	127	121	103	124	99	115	79	85	121	111	106	128
2004	1,253	79	77	118	104	107	86	84	117	103	115	151	112
2005	1,384	145	121	112	115	132	98	87	107	95	140	112	121
2006	1,395	135	118	111	103	125	102	120	90	107	140	113	131
±% 04/03	-5.0%	-37.8%	-36.6%	14.8%	-15.8%	7.6%	-25.0%	6.4%	37.0%	-14.9%	4.0%	42.3%	-12.6%
±% 05/04	10.4%	84.0%	57.6%	-5.3%	10.1%	23.2%	13.4%	3.8%	-8.7%	-7.8%	20.9%	-25.9%	8.3%
±% 06/05	0.8%	-6.9%	-2.2%	-1.0%	-10.3%	-4.8%	4.1%	37.6%	-15.4%	13.2%	0.1%	0.4%	8.3%
Gozo and Comino													
2002	75	6	5	5	5	7	5	5	5	7	5	10	11
2003	89	8	8	10	7	7	8	6	7	7	6	6	8
2004	37	7	11	9	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
2005	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0
2006	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
±% 04/03	-58.8%	-8.2%	30.4%	-4.9%	-19.1%	-92.2%	-93.8%	-94.8%	-94.8%	-93.5%	-92.2%	-88.5%	-100.0%
±% 05/04	-82.9%	-95.3%	-95.7%	-98.8%	-98.8%	-17.8%	59.7%	36.7%	136.7%	8.1%	127.7%	19.4%	-
±% 06/05	-55.0%	181.6%	-100.0%	481.8%	408.5%	-100.0%	-78.0%	-100.0%	-57.1%	-39.4%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-100.0%

Note: "-" sign implies that no slaughters were registered in the same month of the previous year.

Chapter 5 - Sheep and Goats

5.1 Sheep and goat population

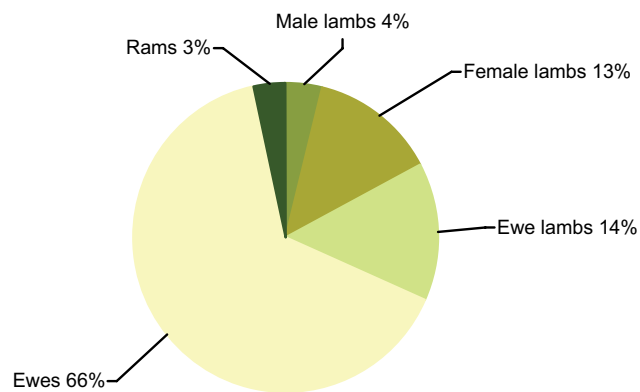
	Number	
	Sheep	Goats
MALTA	12,172	5,828
Malta	8,077	4,483
Gozo and Comino	4,095	1,345
Southern Harbour	679	855
Northern Harbour	877	766
South Eastern	2,424	1,337
Western	2,436	1,092
Northern	1,661	433
Gozo and Comino	4,095	1,345



5.2 Sheep population by type of sheep

	Type of sheep					
	Total	Male lambs	Female lambs	Ewe lambs	Ewes	Rams
MALTA	12,172	487	1,604	1,750	7,935	396
Malta	8,077	371	1,238	1,363	4,874	231
Gozo and Comino	4,095	116	366	387	3,061	165
Southern Harbour	679	34	125	136	360	24
Northern Harbour	877	30	102	116	593	36
South Eastern	2,424	112	355	407	1,476	74
Western	2,436	120	406	436	1,418	56
Northern	1,661	75	250	268	1,027	41
Gozo and Comino	4,095	116	366	387	3,061	165

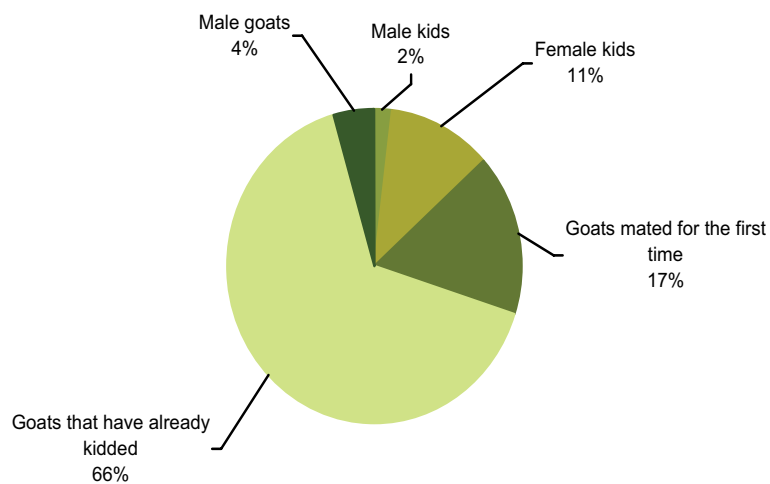
Chart 5.2 Percentage distribution of sheep by type of sheep



5.3 Goat population by type of goat

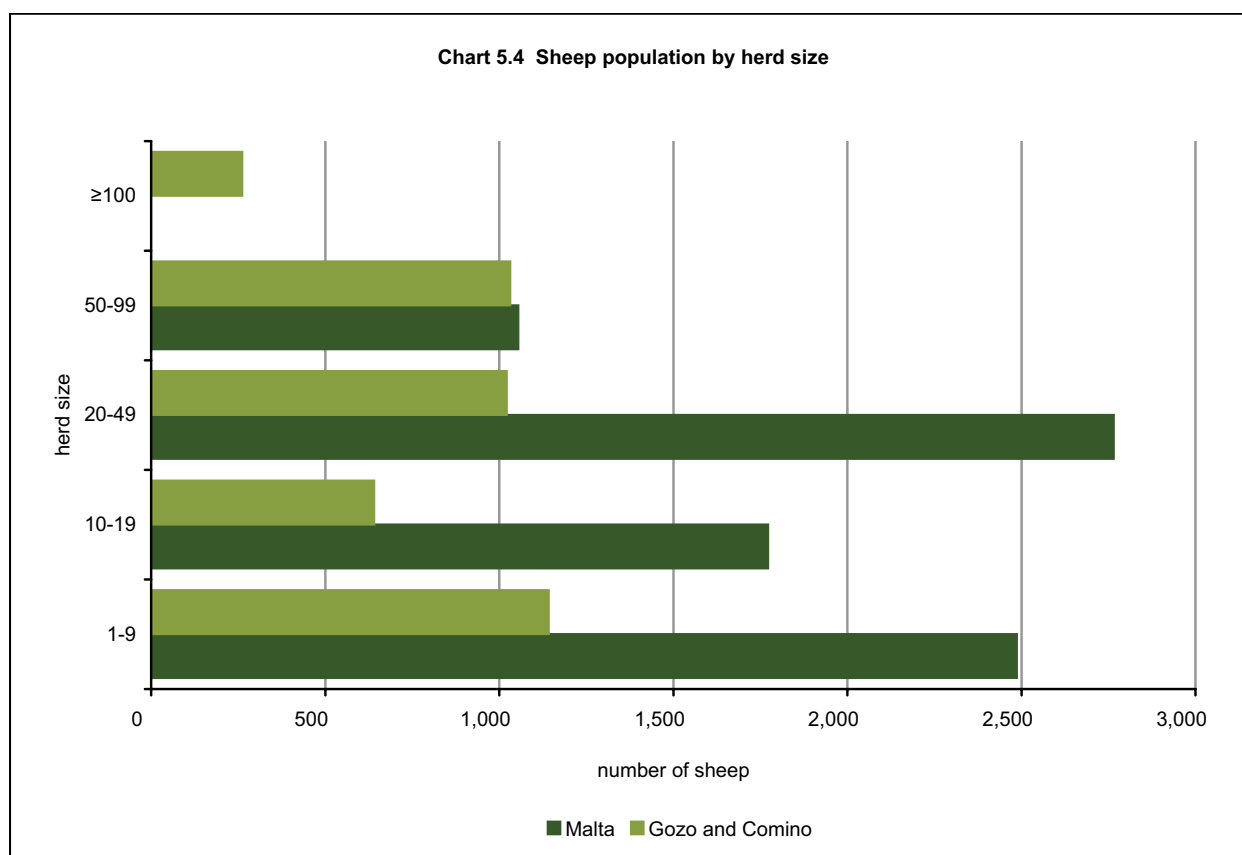
	Type of goat					
	Total	Male kids	Female kids	Goats mated for the first time	Goats that have already kidded	Male goats
MALTA	5,828	107	664	975	3,828	254
Malta	4,483	92	579	829	2,795	188
Gozo and Comino	1,345	15	85	146	1,033	66
Southern Harbour	855	35	118	223	458	21
Northern Harbour	766	11	70	106	534	45
South Eastern	1,337	17	173	259	820	68
Western	1,092	24	136	175	714	43
Northern	433	5	82	66	269	11
Gozo and Comino	1,345	15	85	146	1,033	66

Chart 5.3 Percentage distribution of goats by type of goat



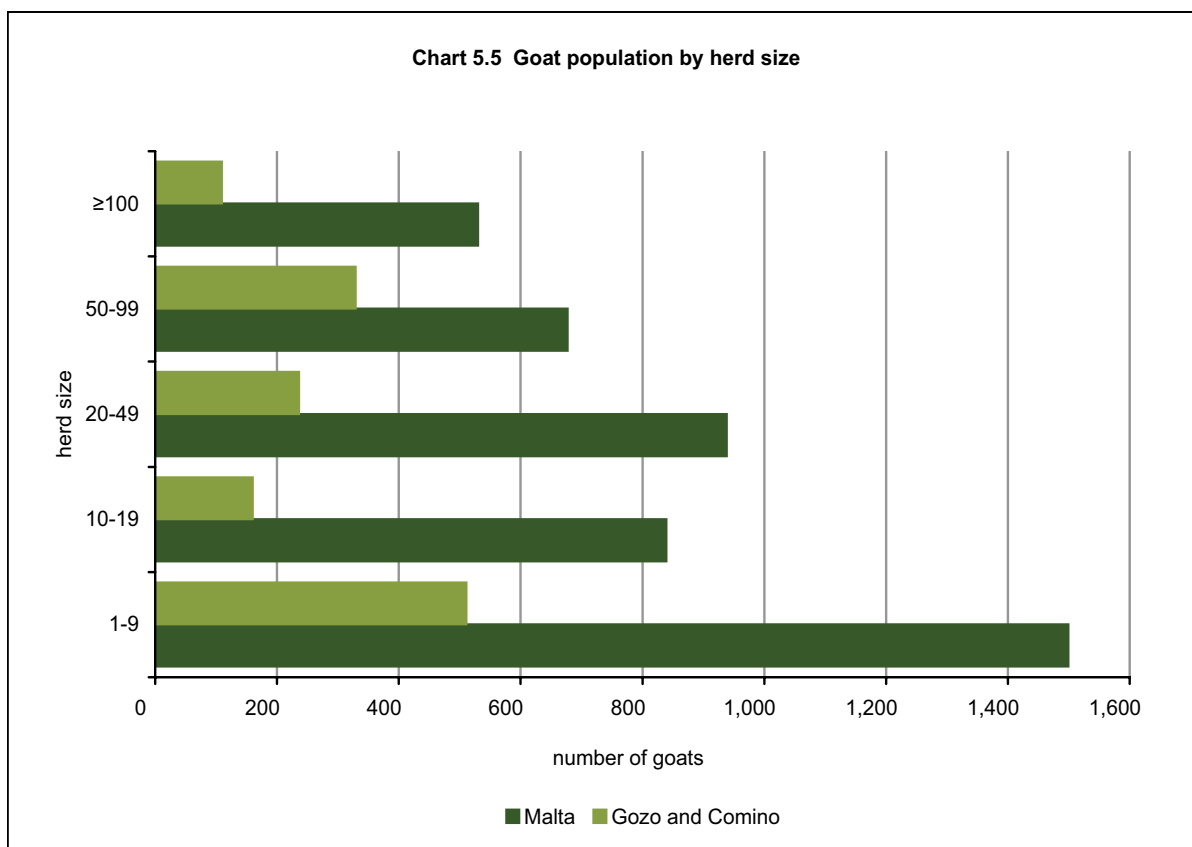
5.4 Sheep population by herd size

	Herd size: Number of sheep					
	Total	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	≥100
MALTA	12,172	3,628	2,412	3,786	2,085	261
Malta	8,077	2,486	1,772	2,765	1,054	0
Gozo and Comino	4,095	1,142	640	1,021	1,031	261
Southern Harbour	679	221	135	273	50	0
Northern Harbour	877	245	275	239	118	0
South Eastern	2,424	850	644	800	130	0
Western	2,436	828	426	801	381	0
Northern	1,661	342	292	652	375	0
Gozo and Comino	4,095	1,142	640	1,021	1,031	261



5.5 Goat population by herd size

	Herd size: Number of goats					
	Total	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	≥100
MALTA	5,828	2,010	999	1,174	1,006	639
Malta	4,483	1,499	839	938	677	530
Gozo and Comino	1,345	511	160	236	329	109
Southern Harbour	855	185	155	109	134	272
Northern Harbour	766	167	247	176	176	0
South Eastern	1,337	615	236	329	157	0
Western	1,092	347	152	179	156	258
Northern	433	185	49	145	54	0
Gozo and Comino	1,345	511	160	236	329	109



Chapter 6 - Poultry

6.1 Holdings with poultry by size class of poultry

	Size class: Number of poultry							
	Total		<20		≥20 - <100		≥100	
	Holdings	Heads	Holdings	Heads	Holdings	Heads	Holdings	Heads
MALTA								
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	1,258	1,381,543	719	6,915	322	10,794	217	1,363,834
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	1,099	1,052,013	690	6,750	229	7,186	180	1,038,078
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta								
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	840	1,069,562	438	4,296	232	8,137	170	1,057,129
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	583	848,961	275	2,852	164	5,386	144	840,723
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino								
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	418	311,981	281	2,619	90	2,657	47	306,705
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	516	203,052	415	3,898	65	1,799	36	197,355
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

6.2 Poultry distribution (number of heads) by type of poultry

	Type of poultry			
	Total	Broilers	Laying hens	Other poultry
MALTA				
2002	:	:	:	:
2003	1,381,544	852,685	505,561	23,298
2004	:	:	:	:
2005	1,052,013	575,152	469,188	7,673
2006	:	:	:	:
Malta				
2002	:	:	:	:
2003	1,069,562	623,821	429,320	16,421
2004	:	:	:	:
2005	848,961	428,773	412,970	7,218
2006	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino				
2002	:	:	:	:
2003	311,982	228,864	76,241	6,877
2004	:	:	:	:
2005	203,052	146,379	56,218	455
2006	:	:	:	:

6.3 Broilers by size class of broilers

	Size class: Number of broilers								
	Total	1-99	100-499	500-999	1000-2999	3000-4999	5000-9999	10000-49999	≥50000
MALTA									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	852,685	972	309	3,466	128,282	51,882	188,346	479,428	0
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	575,152	1,414	0	2,114	40,331	69,705	90,515	308,073	63,000
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	623,821	708	309	516	99,532	41,082	64,846	416,828	0
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	428,773	1,366	0	2,114	26,901	51,718	50,215	233,459	63,000
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	228,864	264	0	2,950	28,750	10,800	123,500	62,600	0
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	146,379	48	0	0	13,430	17,987	40,300	74,614	0
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

6.4 Laying hens by size class of laying hens

	Size class: Number of laying hens								
	Total	1-99	100-499	500-999	1000-2999	3000-4999	5000-9999	10000-49999	≥50000
MALTA									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	505,561	12,798	2,585	0	53,028	37,634	79,340	320,176	0
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	469,188	12,837	7,659	0	36,154	40,016	83,125	181,614	107,783
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Malta									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	429,320	9,857	2,585	0	53,028	27,634	69,540	266,676	0
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	412,970	7,188	7,659	0	32,725	32,766	68,425	156,424	107,783
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Gozo and Comino									
2002	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2003	76,241	2,941	0	0	0	10,000	9,800	53,500	0
2004	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2005	56,218	5,649	0	0	3,429	7,250	14,700	25,190	0
2006	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

6.5 Monthly broiler slaughters ('000 heads)

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
MALTA													
2002	4,531	386	328	339	357	389	305	382	332	365	468	437	443
2003	4,701	456	393	373	366	359	399	421	364	342	390	375	462
2004	3,895	462	440	469	376	331	221	261	229	267	281	273	284
2005	2,771	262	238	206	215	238	243	255	251	248	215	194	207
2006	2,666	216	172	169	193	246	238	246	227	216	251	257	235
±% 04/03	-17.1%	1.2%	11.9%	25.5%	2.8%	-7.6%	-44.6%	-38.1%	-37.1%	-21.9%	-27.8%	-27.1%	-38.5%
±% 05/04	-28.9%	-43.3%	-45.9%	-56.1%	-42.9%	-28.3%	9.6%	-2.3%	9.7%	-7.3%	-23.5%	-28.8%	-27.2%
±% 06/05	-3.8%	-17.5%	-27.8%	-17.8%	-10.3%	3.5%	-1.9%	-3.7%	-9.4%	-12.7%	16.6%	32.3%	13.5%
Malta													
2002	3,320	302	234	248	261	277	225	261	217	230	342	365	358
2003	3,540	381	314	296	290	263	274	311	272	240	286	279	333
2004	2,969	341	339	349	292	218	164	202	190	213	224	216	219
2005	2,430	217	198	178	182	207	215	216	222	217	176	194	207
2006	2,604	216	163	167	181	227	225	240	226	216	251	257	235
±% 04/03	-16.1%	-10.7%	7.8%	18.2%	0.6%	-17.1%	-40.1%	-35.1%	-29.9%	-11.1%	-21.7%	-22.5%	-34.1%
±% 05/04	-18.1%	-36.2%	-41.5%	-49.0%	-37.7%	-5.1%	30.9%	7.1%	16.3%	2.0%	-21.6%	-10.0%	-5.7%
±% 06/05	7.2%	-0.6%	-17.8%	-6.2%	-0.6%	9.8%	4.6%	11.0%	2.1%	-0.4%	42.6%	32.3%	13.5%
Gozo and Comino													
2002	1,212	84	94	91	96	113	80	121	116	135	126	72	85
2003	1,161	75	79	78	76	95	125	110	92	103	103	96	129
2004	927	121	101	119	84	113	57	59	38	54	57	57	65
2005	341	45	39	27	33	30	28	39	30	30	39	0	0
2006	61	0	9	2	12	19	13	6	1	0	0	0	0
±% 04/03	-20.2%	61.4%	28.1%	53.2%	11.3%	18.6%	-54.4%	-46.4%	-58.3%	-47.1%	-44.7%	-40.4%	-49.6%
±% 05/04	-63.2%	-63.2%	-61.0%	-76.9%	-61.0%	-73.1%	-51.7%	-34.0%	-23.1%	-43.8%	-31.2%	-100.0%	-100.0%
±% 06/05	-82.0%	-100.0%	-78.4%	-93.1%	-63.5%	-39.1%	-52.2%	-84.8%	-95.5%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-	-

Note: "-" sign implies that no slaughters were registered in the same month of the previous year.

6.6 Monthly broiler slaughters (carcass weight: tonnes)

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
MALTA													
2002	6,661	573	473	482	517	557	441	522	457	539	748	694	658
2003	7,405	734	671	651	684	509	571	642	521	527	592	584	720
2004	6,294	904	718	734	614	530	364	362	333	425	423	415	472
2005	4,518	417	375	301	360	388	420	400	406	418	335	331	366
2006	3,935	344	264	249	283	394	332	321	289	310	384	384	381
±% 04/03	-15.0%	23.2%	7.0%	12.8%	-10.2%	4.1%	-36.3%	-43.7%	-36.1%	-19.4%	-28.5%	-28.9%	-34.4%
±% 05/04	-28.2%	-53.9%	-47.8%	-58.9%	-41.3%	-26.8%	15.6%	10.6%	21.9%	-1.7%	-20.7%	-20.3%	-22.4%
±% 06/05	-12.9%	-17.5%	-29.7%	-17.4%	-21.4%	1.6%	-21.0%	-19.6%	-28.9%	-25.7%	14.6%	15.9%	4.1%
Malta													
2002	5,031	463	344	365	393	402	337	358	308	358	572	582	552
2003	5,613	645	565	547	571	354	390	450	367	354	426	429	517
2004	4,846	737	565	554	485	360	266	281	267	329	336	324	344
2005	4,018	350	317	259	309	338	381	342	365	377	281	331	366
2006	3,815	344	249	246	259	354	307	310	286	310	384	384	381
±% 04/03	-13.7%	14.2%	0.1%	1.2%	-15.1%	1.8%	-31.9%	-37.6%	-27.1%	-7.2%	-21.1%	-24.4%	-33.5%
±% 05/04	-17.1%	-52.5%	-43.9%	-53.2%	-36.1%	-6.1%	43.5%	21.8%	36.8%	14.7%	-16.3%	2.0%	6.6%
±% 06/05	-5.1%	-1.9%	-21.6%	-5.2%	-16.2%	4.6%	-19.3%	-9.2%	-21.7%	-17.6%	36.8%	15.9%	4.1%
Gozo and Comino													
2002	1,630	110	129	118	125	155	104	165	150	180	177	112	106
2003	1,791	89	107	104	113	155	180	192	154	173	166	155	203
2004	1,448	167	153	181	130	169	98	81	66	96	87	91	129
2005	500	66	58	42	51	49	39	58	41	41	54	0	0
2006	120	0	15	3	24	40	25	11	2	0	0	0	0
±% 04/03	-19.2%	88.7%	43.8%	73.6%	14.1%	9.1%	-45.7%	-57.8%	-57.3%	-44.3%	-47.5%	-41.3%	-36.5%
±% 05/04	-65.5%	-60.3%	-62.1%	-76.6%	-60.7%	-70.9%	-59.9%	-28.4%	-38.5%	-57.5%	-37.4%	-100.0%	-100.0%
±% 06/05	-75.9%	-100.0%	-74.1%	-92.1%	-53.2%	-19.0%	-37.5%	-80.9%	-93.9%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-	-

Note: "-" sign implies that no slaughters were registered in the same month of the previous year.

Chapter 7 - Output of the Agricultural Industry

7.1 Annual volume (tonnes) and wholesale value (Lm '000) of fruit and vegetables sold through official markets

	Vegetables		Fruit	
	Weight	Value	Weight	Value
MALTA				
2002	39,800	6,824	2,069	956
2003	38,058	6,744	2,113	1,079
2004	41,911	6,203	2,602	974
2005	40,440	6,200	2,723	981
2006	44,811	6,694	3,518	1,251
±% 04/03	10.1%	-8.0%	23.1%	-9.8%
±% 05/04	-3.5%	0.0%	4.6%	0.7%
±% 06/05	10.8%	8.0%	29.2%	27.5%
Malta				
2002	:	:	:	:
2003	30,628	5,462	1,450	825
2004	35,056	5,041	2,095	824
2005	34,752	5,260	2,048	824
2006	39,557	5,783	2,905	1,060
±% 04/03	14.5%	-7.7%	44.5%	-0.1%
±% 05/04	-0.9%	4.4%	-2.3%	0.0%
±% 06/05	13.8%	9.9%	41.9%	28.6%
Gozo and Comino				
2002	:	:	:	:
2003	7,430	1,282	663	254
2004	6,855	1,162	507	150
2005	5,688	940	675	157
2006	5,255	911	613	190
±% 04/03	-7.7%	-9.4%	-23.5%	-41.1%
±% 05/04	-17.0%	-19.1%	33.1%	4.6%
±% 06/05	-7.6%	-3.0%	-9.2%	21.6%

7.2 Annual volume (tonnes) of vegetables sold through official markets by species

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	39,800	38,058	41,911	40,440	44,811
Beans broad	653	563	467	669	616
Bellpepper	706	689	767	732	743
Cabbages	2,462	2,339	2,634	2,376	2,531
Carrots	1,811	1,542	1,648	1,033	1,265
Cauliflowers	4,218	2,446	3,186	3,771	3,723
Celery	463	410	440	455	428
Cucumber	657	693	687	693	788
Eggplant	659	672	729	709	711
Garlic green	222	352	296	312	398
Kohlrabi	950	596	827	928	990
Lettuce	2,093	2,129	2,237	2,333	2,814
Marrows vegetable	2,610	2,351	3,046	2,819	3,374
Melons sugar	2,842	3,214	2,871	2,985	2,563
Melons water	3,185	4,290	4,400	4,071	4,079
Onions dry	1,590	2,198	1,852	1,930	2,844
Onions green	789	410	402	498	444
Parsley	397	376	389	374	397
Potatoes	4,661	5,017	6,054	4,978	5,828
Pumpkins	568	518	546	588	595
Tomatoes	5,339	4,235	5,023	4,530	5,764
Other vegetables	2,924	3,018	3,408	3,655	3,915

7.3 Annual wholesale value (Lm '000) of vegetables sold through official markets by species

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	6,824	6,744	6,203	6,200	6,694
Beans broad	158	103	137	111	119
Bellpepper	222	255	200	225	205
Cabbages	164	250	156	208	176
Carrots	405	293	245	158	203
Cauliflowers	309	396	375	317	349
Celery	44	51	48	38	42
Cucumber	184	213	216	199	204
Eggplant	146	136	128	131	126
Garlic green	152	57	70	111	59
Kohlrabi	81	93	79	71	67
Lettuce	293	328	270	319	357
Marrows vegetable	712	854	699	881	885
Melons sugar	522	344	442	264	424
Melons water	464	351	413	367	407
Onions dry	358	296	366	287	355
Onions green	114	26	35	33	23
Parsley	55	59	47	50	55
Potatoes	599	631	569	488	644
Pumpkins	90	90	52	77	58
Tomatoes	987	1,222	943	1,137	1,161
Other vegetables	763	699	713	727	775

7.4 Monthly volume (tonnes) of vegetables sold through official markets by species

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	44,811	3,091	2,772	3,202	3,377	4,098	5,380	5,988	4,904	3,049	2,945	2,807	3,198
Beans broad	616	3	9	91	392	116	4	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bellpepper	743	25	20	28	26	64	109	139	119	94	50	36	33
Cabbages	2,531	270	242	258	182	185	161	155	162	203	246	255	212
Carrots	1,265	190	139	159	103	139	129	83	33	15	36	103	137
Cauliflowers	3,723	612	541	314	249	313	191	29	35	146	385	390	519
Celery	428	46	37	45	35	29	35	35	28	30	41	35	31
Cucumber	788	27	20	17	32	77	101	133	106	86	83	67	40
Eggplant	711	17	16	17	16	37	84	131	140	96	80	43	34
Garlic green	398	87	82	122	56	12	1	0	0	0	1	14	22
Kohlrabi	990	120	141	101	75	96	53	27	22	48	94	117	95
Lettuce	2,814	155	138	206	252	291	293	297	267	224	249	250	192
Marrows vegetable	3,374	214	195	236	323	452	314	284	215	240	314	301	286
Melons sugar	2,563	0	0	0	0	103	588	885	765	191	29	1	0
Melons water	4,079	0	0	0	0	48	1,134	1,656	1,066	160	14	0	0
Onions dry	2,844	253	210	279	232	242	299	228	179	218	257	249	197
Onions green	444	3	5	31	153	137	22	51	41	0	0	1	1
Parsley	397	31	26	38	26	35	37	38	31	33	37	35	32
Potatoes	5,828	366	268	357	479	892	880	785	718	409	166	100	406
Pumpkins	595	79	56	60	53	49	33	37	36	42	58	55	39
Tomatoes	5,764	261	293	360	354	516	680	702	639	475	427	409	649
Other vegetables	3,915	331	333	483	341	264	231	293	302	340	378	347	271

7.5 Monthly wholesale value (Lm '000) of vegetables sold through official markets by species

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	6,694	505	467	595	611	676	628	738	572	482	489	500	429
Beans broad	119	2	5	37	53	21	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bellpepper	205	12	11	15	13	23	21	25	19	15	17	17	16
Cabbages	176	11	13	15	23	20	11	12	19	15	15	14	9
Carrots	203	21	22	27	21	27	27	14	6	2	5	14	16
Cauliflowers	349	34	29	59	44	29	13	4	5	19	41	52	21
Celery	42	4	4	4	4	4	3	2	2	3	4	4	3
Cucumber	204	15	16	15	16	22	23	19	23	18	14	7	13
Eggplant	126	10	9	7	6	12	13	15	9	11	11	12	11
Garlic green	59	12	7	9	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	9	13
Kohlrabi	67	8	6	9	8	7	3	1	1	3	7	8	7
Lettuce	357	26	20	32	21	25	30	38	43	36	36	32	18
Marrows vegetable	885	107	100	110	81	53	45	44	68	73	83	79	42
Melons sugar	424	0	0	0	0	55	120	159	64	23	3	0	0
Melons water	407	0	0	0	0	17	94	188	87	19	2	0	0
Onions dry	355	32	25	31	33	33	29	20	18	28	35	38	31
Onions green	23	0	0	1	7	6	1	4	4	0	0	0	0
Parsley	55	4	5	5	5	7	4	4	4	4	5	5	3
Potatoes	644	38	35	50	70	90	68	66	80	51	23	16	56
Pumpkins	58	7	5	6	7	7	4	4	3	3	5	5	3
Tomatoes	1,161	84	71	81	136	159	76	58	60	99	114	116	107
Other vegetables	775	77	84	82	56	57	45	59	55	59	69	72	60

7.6 Annual volume (tonnes) of fruit sold through official markets by species

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	2,069	2,113	2,602	2,723	3,518
Bambinella	24	26	15	57	48
Figs early	95	124	108	170	187
Grapes	223	256	477	324	595
Lemons	273	306	303	267	274
Nectarines	105	105	179	115	204
Oranges	146	90	93	156	146
Oranges sweet	287	253	177	376	275
Peaches	423	380	761	474	1,074
Plums cherry	60	46	27	122	73
Strawberries	223	261	269	316	308
Other fruit	210	264	193	346	335

7.7 Annual wholesale value (Lm '000) of fruit sold through official markets by species

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	956	1,079	974	981	1,251
Bambinella	2	23	15	36	33
Figs early	33	46	47	46	72
Grapes	93	111	119	93	119
Lemons	68	92	56	31	52
Nectarines	44	56	59	38	57
Oranges	31	26	18	30	39
Oranges sweet	82	83	47	82	84
Peaches	220	248	287	200	333
Plums cherry	20	23	14	27	29
Strawberries	253	263	246	308	328
Other fruit	110	109	66	90	104

7.8 Monthly volume (tonnes) of fruit sold through official markets by species

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	3,518	139	69	62	164	152	658	640	742	393	165	182	153
Bambinella	48	0	0	0	0	0	1	30	17	0	0	0	0
Figs early	187	0	0	0	0	1	181	3	1	0	0	0	0
Grapes	595	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	224	276	73	0	0
Lemons	274	24	19	22	29	31	25	20	17	15	22	25	27
Nectarines	204	0	0	0	0	6	61	115	21	1	0	0	0
Oranges	146	33	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	46	39
Oranges sweet	275	72	32	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	84	68
Peaches	1,074	0	0	0	0	30	271	345	354	74	0	0	0
Plums cherry	73	0	0	0	0	1	34	24	12	2	0	0	0
Strawberries	308	2	2	26	128	78	53	6	0	0	0	8	5
Other fruit	335	9	2	1	6	5	32	77	95	23	54	19	13

7.9 Monthly wholesale value (Lm '000) of fruit sold through official markets by species

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	1,251	41	23	48	118	118	240	230	197	86	36	65	47
Bambinella	33	0	0	0	0	0	1	24	9	0	0	0	0
Figs early	72	0	0	0	0	1	69	1	1	0	0	0	0
Grapes	119	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	49	45	15	0	0
Lemons	52	3	3	3	5	6	6	5	5	4	5	4	4
Nectarines	57	0	0	0	0	3	17	31	6	1	0	0	0
Oranges	39	8	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	14	10
Oranges sweet	84	23	12	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	26	17
Peaches	333	0	0	0	0	11	79	118	97	29	0	0	0
Plums cherry	29	0	0	0	0	1	14	9	4	1	0	0	0
Strawberries	328	4	5	41	112	96	40	4	0	0	0	15	11
Other fruit	104	3	1	0	1	1	14	29	26	7	11	6	5

7.10 Annual average wholesale prices (cents/kilogram) of marketed vegetables by species

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Beans broad	24c2	18c4	29c4	16c6	19c3
Bellpepper	31c4	37c1	26c0	30c8	27c5
Cabbages	6c7	10c7	5c9	8c7	7c0
Carrots	22c4	19c0	14c9	15c3	16c0
Cauliflowers	7c3	16c2	11c8	8c4	9c4
Celery	9c5	12c3	10c9	8c4	9c8
Cucumber	28c1	30c7	31c5	28c8	25c9
Eggplant	22c2	20c3	17c6	18c5	17c7
Garlic green	68c3	16c1	23c7	35c6	14c9
Kohlrabi	8c5	15c6	9c6	7c7	6c8
Lettuce	14c0	15c4	12c0	13c7	12c7
Marrows vegetable	27c3	36c3	22c9	31c3	26c2
Melons sugar	18c4	10c7	15c4	8c8	16c5
Melons water	14c6	8c2	9c4	9c0	10c0
Onions dry	22c5	13c5	19c7	14c9	12c5
Onions green	14c4	6c3	8c6	6c5	5c2
Parsley	13c9	15c6	12c1	13c5	13c8
Potatoes	12c8	12c6	9c4	9c8	11c1
Pumpkins	15c9	17c4	9c5	13c2	9c7
Tomatoes	18c5	28c8	18c8	25c1	20c1

7.11 Annual average wholesale prices (cents/kilogram) of marketed fruit by species

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Bambinella	7c6	88c2	98c1	62c1	69c5
Figs early	34c3	37c1	44c0	27c4	38c7
Grapes	41c8	43c1	24c9	28c7	20c0
Lemons	25c0	30c2	18c5	11c5	19c1
Nectarines	41c6	53c3	33c0	33c4	28c0
Oranges	21c2	29c0	19c6	19c1	26c7
Oranges sweet	28c7	32c8	26c7	21c7	30c6
Peaches	51c9	65c1	37c7	42c2	31c0
Plums cherry	34c1	50c0	49c6	22c6	39c6
Strawberries	113c7	100c7	91c6	97c4	106c3

7.12 Annual total estimated volume (tonnes) and value (Lm '000) of fruit and vegetables

	Vegetables		Fruit	
	Weight	Value	Weight	Value
MALTA				
2002	80,006	15,612	5,228	2,101
2003	77,929	13,387	5,203	2,288
2004	83,739	13,125	7,552	2,349
2005	79,279	12,530	8,052	2,369
2006	83,713	12,647	11,859	3,502
±% 04/03	7.5%	-2.0%	45.1%	2.7%
±% 05/04	-5.3%	-4.5%	6.6%	0.8%
±% 06/05	5.6%	0.9%	47.3%	47.8%

7.13 Annual total estimated volume (tonnes) of vegetables by species

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Vegetables	80,006	77,929	83,739	79,279	83,713
Beans broad	1,340	1,155	2,362	3,386	3,116
Bellpepper	869	848	1,007	961	975
Cabbages	2,777	2,639	3,495	3,152	3,357
Carrots	2,043	1,740	1,665	1,043	1,278
Cauliflowers	4,758	2,760	5,149	6,094	6,017
Celery	522	462	445	460	432
Cucumber	809	853	694	700	796
Eggplant	879	895	736	716	718
Garlic green	456	722	423	446	569
Kohlrabi	1,072	673	933	1,047	1,117
Lettuce	2,576	2,620	2,712	2,828	3,411
Marrows vegetable	2,945	2,653	3,124	2,891	3,461
Melons sugar	3,498	3,956	4,417	4,593	3,943
Melons water	3,921	5,280	5,361	4,960	4,970
Onions dry	4,892	6,763	5,012	5,221	7,695
Onions green	2,429	1,261	949	1,175	1,048
Parsley	407	386	393	378	401
Potatoes	27,536	23,308	22,783	19,518	16,635
Pumpkins	699	637	1,345	1,448	1,465
Tomatoes	10,952	14,137	15,438	12,680	16,462
Other vegetables	4,626	4,182	5,298	5,581	5,846

7.14 Annual total estimated volume (tonnes) of fruit by species

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Fruit	5,228	5,203	7,552	8,052	11,859
Bambinella	25	27	33	126	105
Figs early	147	191	188	296	325
Grapes	1,208	1,262	3,624	3,483	6,380
Lemons	839	941	578	511	524
Nectarines	161	162	206	132	235
Oranges	449	278	288	478	448
Oranges sweet	884	779	429	912	666
Peaches	651	585	1,197	746	1,690
Plums cherry	93	71	30	135	81
Strawberries	457	536	323	379	370
Other fruit	314	372	657	855	1,036

7.15 Annual total estimated value (Lm '000) of vegetables by species

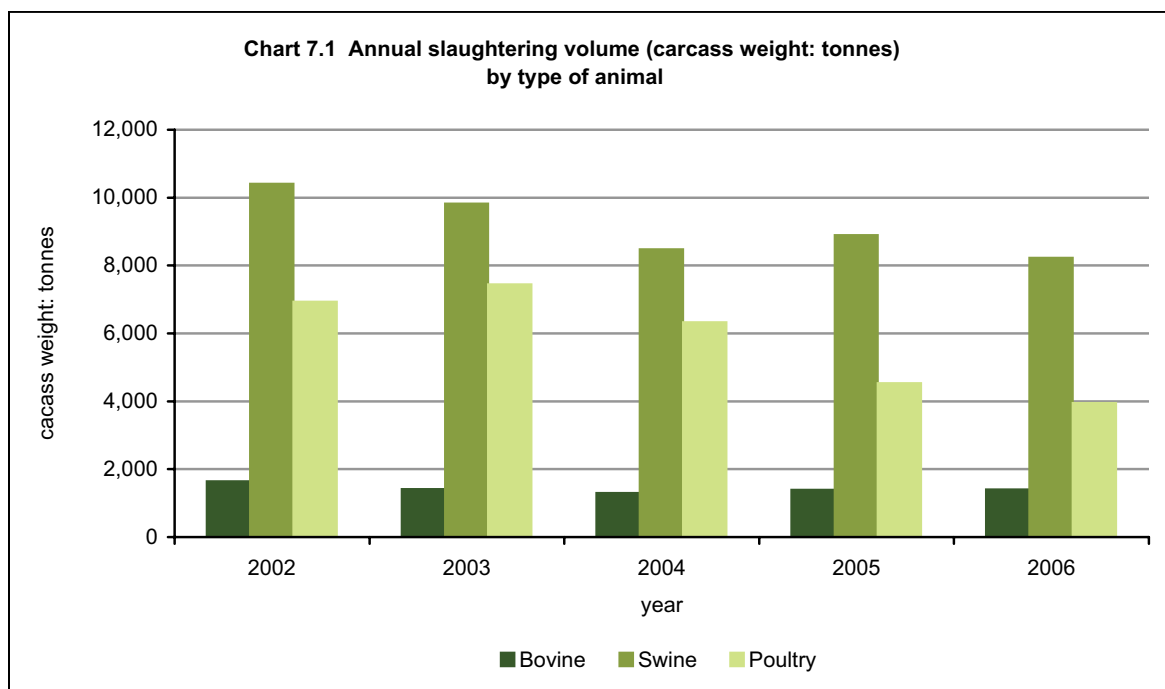
	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Vegetables	15,612	13,387	13,125	12,530	12,647
Beans broad	356	257	637	515	552
Bellpepper	264	299	240	271	246
Cabbages	183	274	250	318	291
Carrots	438	322	227	146	188
Cauliflowers	356	440	851	832	885
Celery	46	52	44	36	39
Cucumber	218	249	200	185	189
Eggplant	191	180	119	121	117
Garlic green	337	258	92	145	78
Kohlrabi	88	98	82	74	70
Lettuce	350	389	390	468	535
Marrows vegetable	773	923	657	828	832
Melons sugar	652	435	797	568	496
Melons water	556	427	522	454	92
Onions dry	1,235	1,077	1,109	914	1,220
Onions green	427	140	135	136	112
Parsley	52	55	43	47	51
Potatoes	4,862	4,150	3,265	2,875	2,371
Pumpkins	109	107	117	175	131
Tomatoes	1,311	1,344	1,092	1,230	1,303
Other vegetables	2,808	1,911	2,257	2,193	2,852

7.16 Annual total estimated value (Lm '000) of fruit by species

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Fruit	2,101	2,288	2,349	2,369	3,502
Bambinella	23	22	29	72	67
Figs early	46	65	76	74	115
Grapes	291	331	858	878	1,552
Lemons	269	335	98	54	92
Nectarines	75	90	62	40	60
Oranges	108	81	66	106	123
Oranges sweet	257	248	119	219	201
Peaches	347	344	464	315	560
Plums cherry	37	37	14	28	29
Strawberries	528	592	293	357	384
Other fruit	120	143	270	227	319

7.17 Annual volume (carcass weight: tonnes) of slaughtered livestock by type of animal

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	19,055	18,737	16,150	14,885	13,626
Bovine	1,636	1,408	1,290	1,390	1,398
Swine	10,405	9,822	8,470	8,889	8,218
Poultry	6,933	7,439	6,322	4,528	3,942
Broilers	6,661	7,405	6,294	4,518	3,935
Other poultry	272	34	28	10	6
Other	80	68	68	77	68
Horses	73	63	63	72	63
Sheep	5	3	4	4	4
Lambs	2	1	1	1	0
Goats	0	0	0	0	0
Kids	0	0	0	0	0

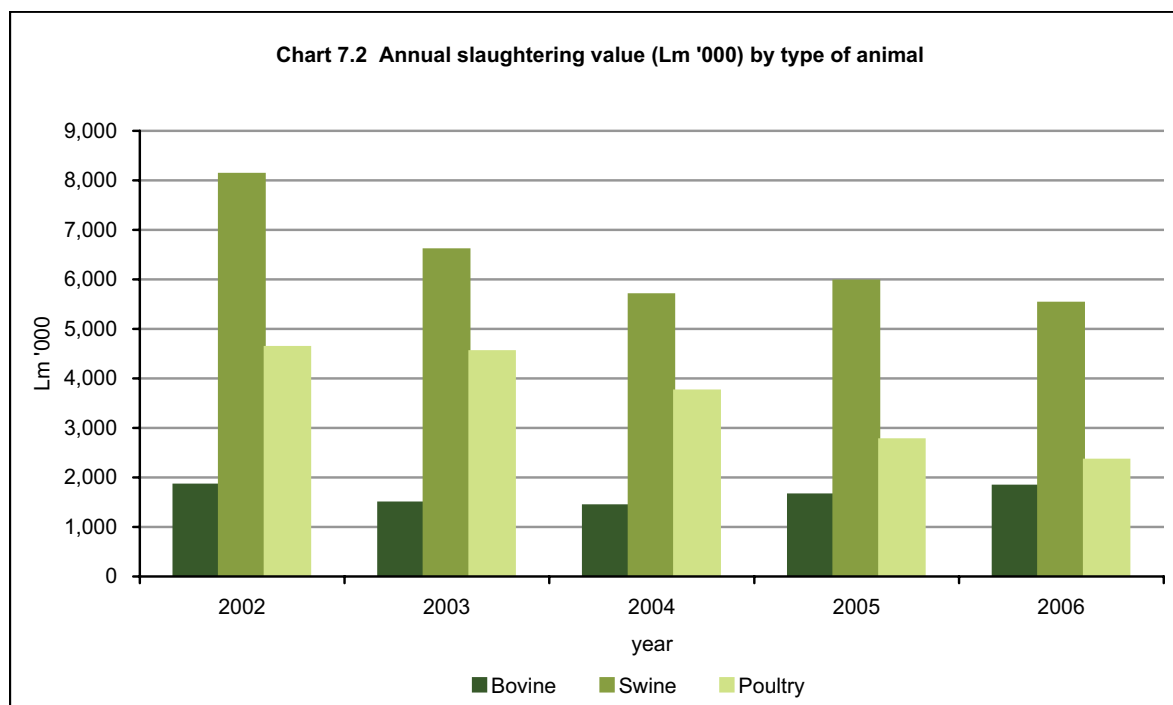


7.18 Monthly volume (carcass weight: tonnes) of slaughtered livestock by type of animal

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	13,625	1,139	1,050	1,120	1,041	1,254	1,017	968	1,108	1,072	1,235	1,332	1,290
Bovine	1,398	136	118	112	103	125	102	120	91	107	140	113	131
Swine	8,218	652	662	754	648	729	579	522	723	648	704	830	765
Poultry	3,942	344	264	249	283	394	332	321	289	310	384	384	388
Broilers	3,935	344	264	249	283	394	332	321	289	310	384	384	381
Other poultry	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Other	68	8	6	6	6	5	4	5	6	6	7	6	6
Horses	63	6	5	5	5	5	4	4	5	5	7	5	6
Sheep	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lambs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Goats	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kids	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

7.19 Annual value (Lm '000) of slaughtered livestock by type of animal

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	14,678	12,690	10,936	10,458	9,766
Bovine	1,850	1,486	1,432	1,651	1,831
Swine	8,128	6,600	5,692	5,974	5,522
Poultry	4,632	4,547	3,754	2,766	2,352
Broilers	4,388	4,518	3,731	2,758	2,346
Other poultry	244	29	23	8	5
Other	68	57	57	67	62
Horses	59	50	50	61	56
Sheep	5	4	5	5	5
Lambs	4	2	2	1	0
Goats	0	0	0	0	0
Kids	0	0	0	0	0



7.20 Annual average prices (cents/kilogram) of slaughtered animals by type of animal

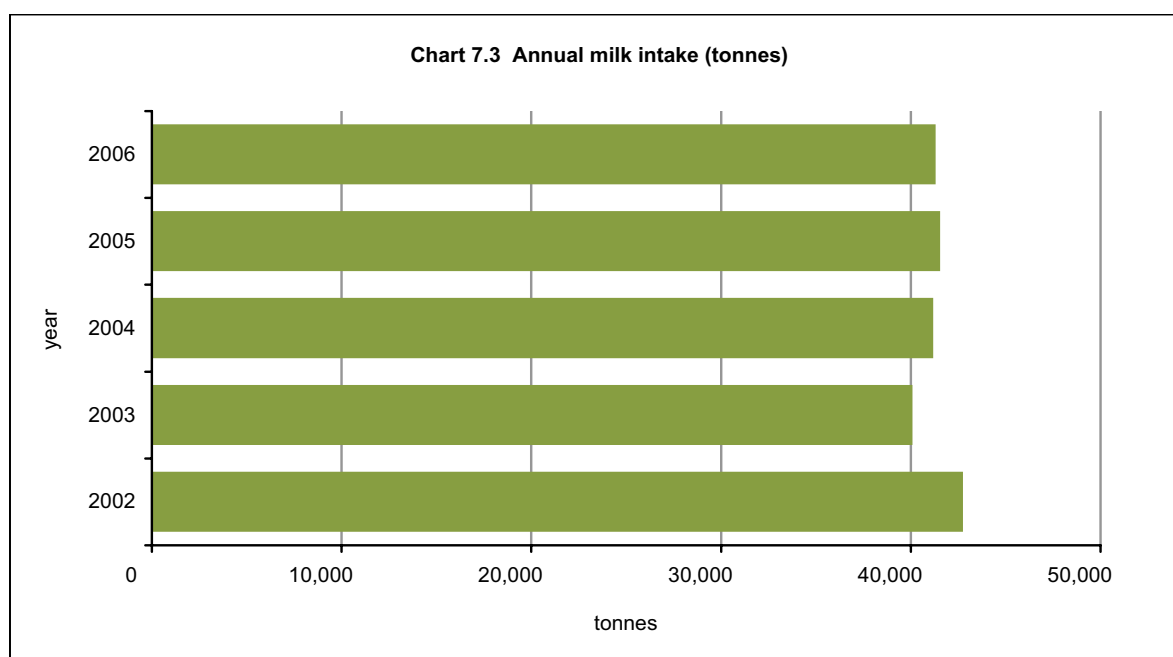
	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Bovine	113c1	105c5	111c0	118c8	130c9
Swine	78c1	67c2	67c2	67c2	67c2
Broilers	65c9	61c0	59c3	61c0	59c6
Other Poultry	89c6	84c3	83c1	83c6	86c7
Horses	80c0	80c0	80c0	84c7	88c2
Sheep	107c9	110c0	110c0	110c0	115c5
Lambs	231c8	204c3	200c0	189c0	188c9
Goats	66c7	66c7	66c8	67c0	75c5
Kids	150c0	150c0	197c2	189c0	189c4

7.21 Monthly value (Lm '000) of slaughtered livestock by type of animal

	Month												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	9,766	819	756	801	739	890	725	708	790	770	897	942	930
Bovine	1,831	168	147	138	128	163	133	157	123	144	194	155	180
Swine	5,522	438	445	506	436	490	389	351	486	436	473	558	514
Poultry	2,352	206	159	151	171	231	200	195	177	185	223	224	230
Broilers	2,346	206	159	151	171	231	200	195	177	185	223	224	225
Other poultry	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Other	62	7	5	5	5	5	4	4	5	5	6	5	5
Horses	56	6	4	5	5	4	3	4	5	5	6	5	5
Sheep	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lambs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Goats	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kids	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

7.22 Quarterly and monthly milk intake (tonnes)

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	42,678	40,020	41,122	41,474	41,250
1st quarter	10,710	10,191	9,776	10,526	10,377
January	3,609	3,501	3,308	3,598	3,568
February	3,363	3,141	3,180	3,253	3,227
March	3,738	3,548	3,288	3,675	3,582
2nd quarter	11,045	10,369	10,050	10,524	10,568
April	3,632	3,447	3,236	3,529	3,488
May	3,799	3,537	3,454	3,599	3,596
June	3,615	3,385	3,361	3,396	3,484
3rd quarter	10,655	9,959	10,508	10,220	10,229
July	3,669	3,415	3,483	3,488	3,471
August	3,572	3,329	3,535	3,460	3,446
September	3,414	3,215	3,490	3,272	3,311
4th quarter	10,268	9,501	10,788	10,204	10,076
October	3,506	3,180	3,575	3,381	3,315
November	3,311	3,090	3,504	3,310	3,260
December	3,451	3,231	3,708	3,513	3,501



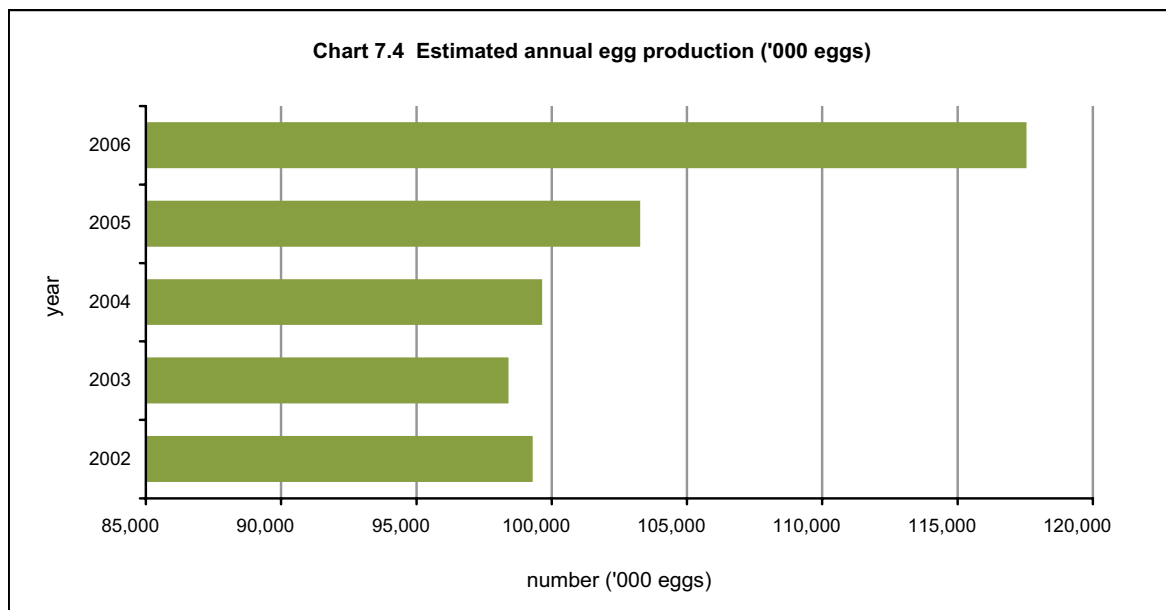
7.23 Total estimated milk production (tonnes) by animal^a

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	45,770	43,361	45,486	45,330	45,308
Total Production of Cows' milk	43,623	40,891	43,060	42,307	42,046
Cows milk delivered to dairies	42,533	39,869	41,985	41,249	40,995
Raw milk used for intra-unit consumption	1,091	1,022	1,075	1,058	1,051
Total Production of Sheep and Goats milk	2,147	2,470	2,426	3,023	3,262
Sheep milk	1,368	1,659	1,576	1,788	1,888
Sheeps milk used for the production of cheeslets	1,306	1,584	1,505	1,706	1,802
Sheeps milk used for own consumption	57	69	65	74	78
Sheeps milk used for intra-unit consumption	5	7	6	7	8
Goats milk	779	811	850	1,235	1,374
Goats milk used for the production of cheeslets	482	502	526	747	850
Goats milk delivered to dairies	145	151	158	225	256
Goats milk used for own consumption	71	74	77	123	125
Goats milk used for intra-unit consumption	81	84	88	141	143

^a Milk directly suckled is not included

7.24 Quarterly and monthly estimated egg production ('000 eggs)

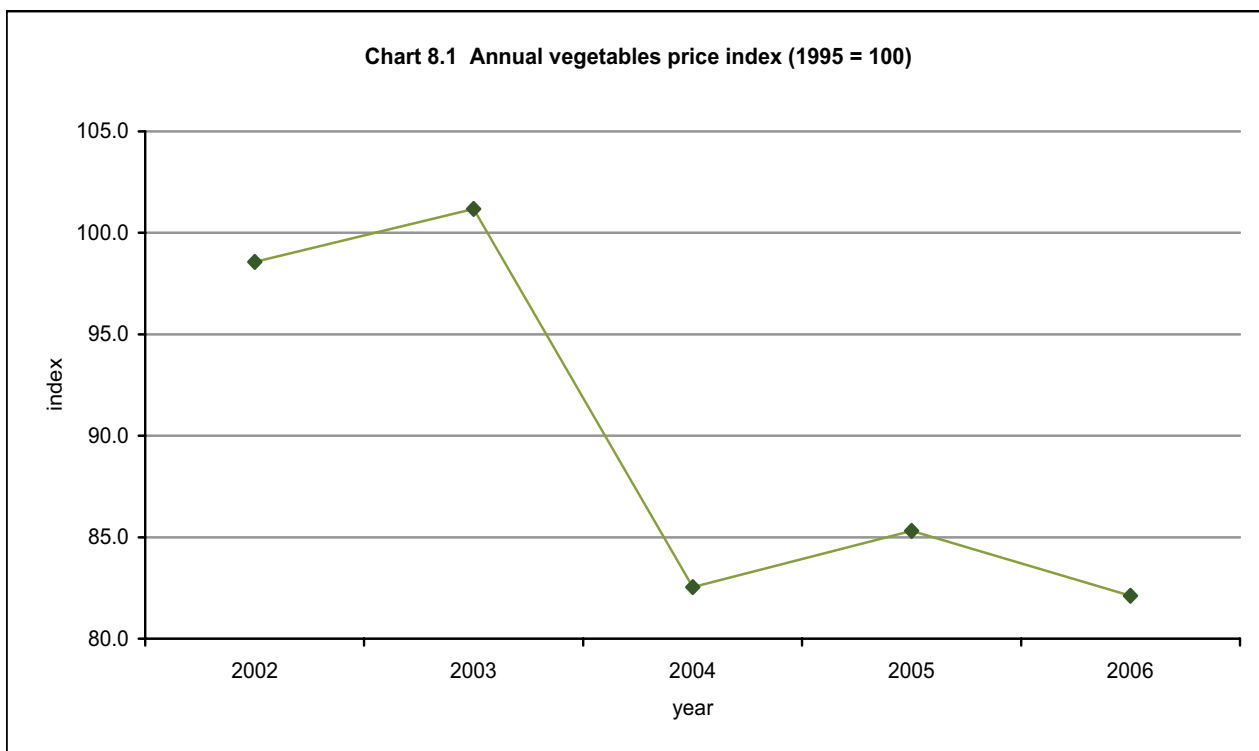
	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	99,248	98,355	99,600	103,222	117,500
1st quarter	25,081	24,856	25,170	26,086	29,694
January	8,714	8,636	8,745	9,063	10,317
February	7,916	7,844	7,944	8,232	9,371
March	8,452	8,376	8,482	8,790	10,006
2nd quarter	24,030	23,814	24,116	24,992	28,450
April	7,897	7,826	7,925	8,213	9,350
May	8,125	8,052	8,154	8,450	9,619
June	8,008	7,936	8,036	8,329	9,481
3rd quarter	25,405	25,176	25,495	26,422	30,077
July	8,426	8,350	8,456	8,764	9,976
August	8,490	8,414	8,520	8,830	10,052
September	8,488	8,412	8,518	8,828	10,049
4th quarter	24,731	24,509	24,819	25,722	29,280
October	8,653	8,575	8,684	9,000	10,244
November	8,110	8,037	8,139	8,435	9,601
December	7,968	7,897	7,997	8,287	9,434



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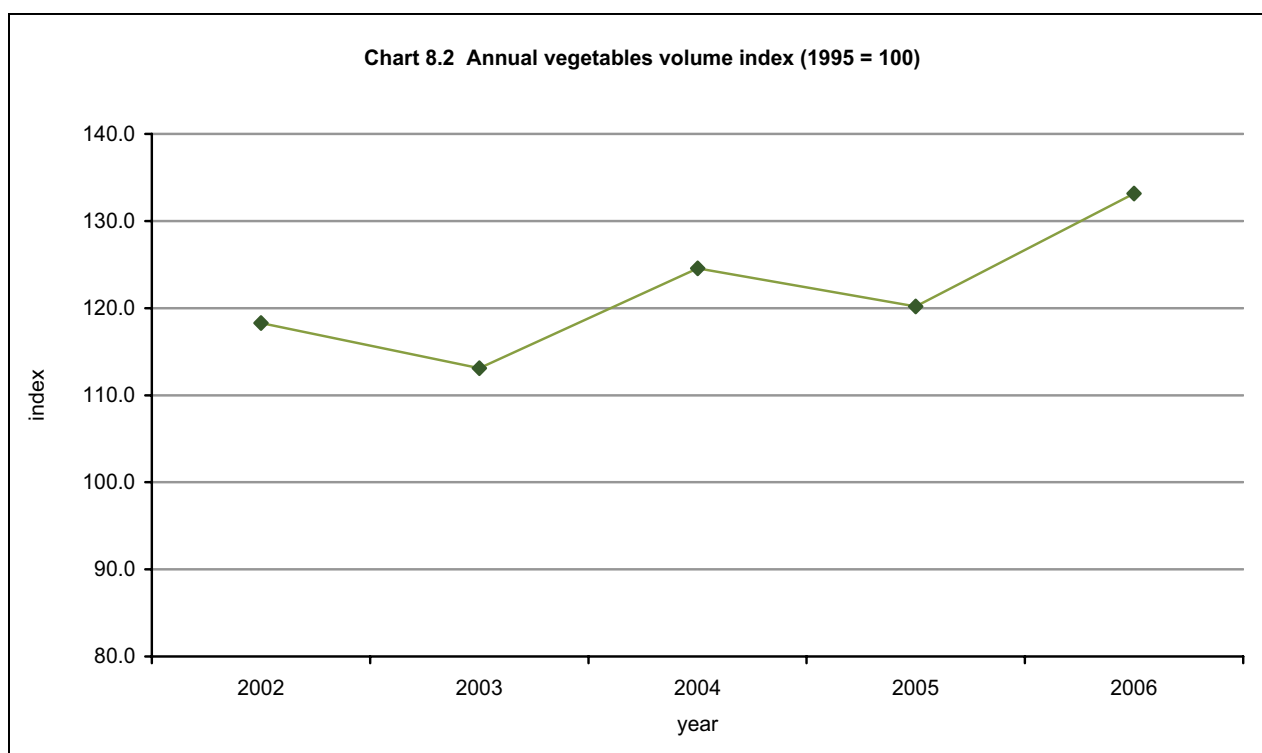
8.1 Annual vegetables price index (1995 = 100)

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
All Items vegetables	98.6	101.2	82.5	85.3	82.1
Cabbages	57.0	91.2	50.7	74.6	59.5
Carrots	162.5	137.8	108.1	110.9	116.2
Cauliflowers	63.9	141.1	102.6	73.3	81.7
Lettuce	94.5	103.9	81.3	92.2	85.5
Marrows Vegetable	90.9	120.9	76.4	104.1	87.4
Melons Sugar	71.0	41.3	59.5	34.1	64.0
Melons Water	125.9	70.8	81.2	77.9	86.1
Onions Dry	89.6	53.6	78.7	59.4	49.7
Potatoes	104.0	101.8	76.1	79.3	89.5
Tomatoes	76.5	119.4	77.7	103.9	83.3



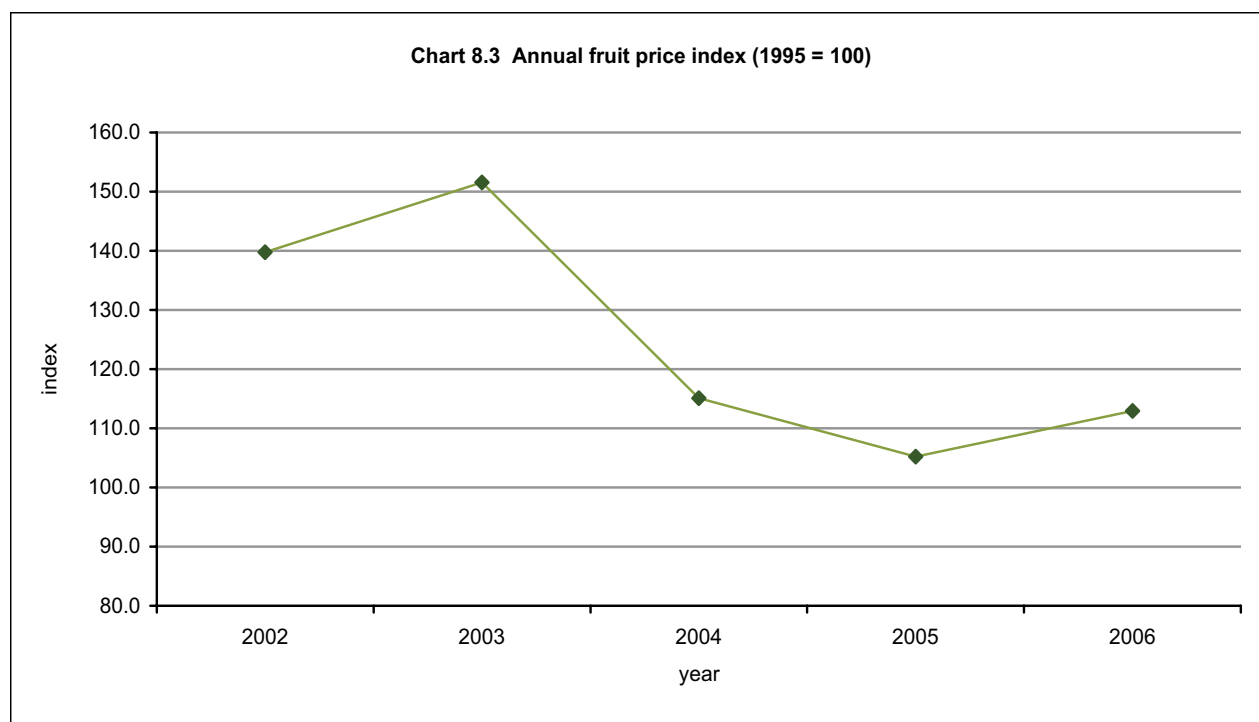
8.4 Annual vegetables volume index (1995 = 100)

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
All Items vegetables	118.3	113.1	124.5	120.2	133.2
Cabbages	116.6	110.8	124.7	112.5	119.8
Carrots	94.1	80.1	85.6	53.6	65.7
Cauliflowers	118.9	69.0	89.8	106.3	105.0
Lettuce	177.1	180.2	189.3	197.4	238.1
Marrows Vegetable	142.6	128.4	166.4	154.0	184.3
Melons Sugar	217.6	246.1	219.8	228.6	196.2
Melons Water	88.5	119.2	122.3	113.1	113.4
Onions Dry	112.2	155.1	130.7	136.1	200.6
Potatoes	74.3	80.0	96.5	79.3	92.9
Tomatoes	152.6	121.0	143.5	129.4	164.7



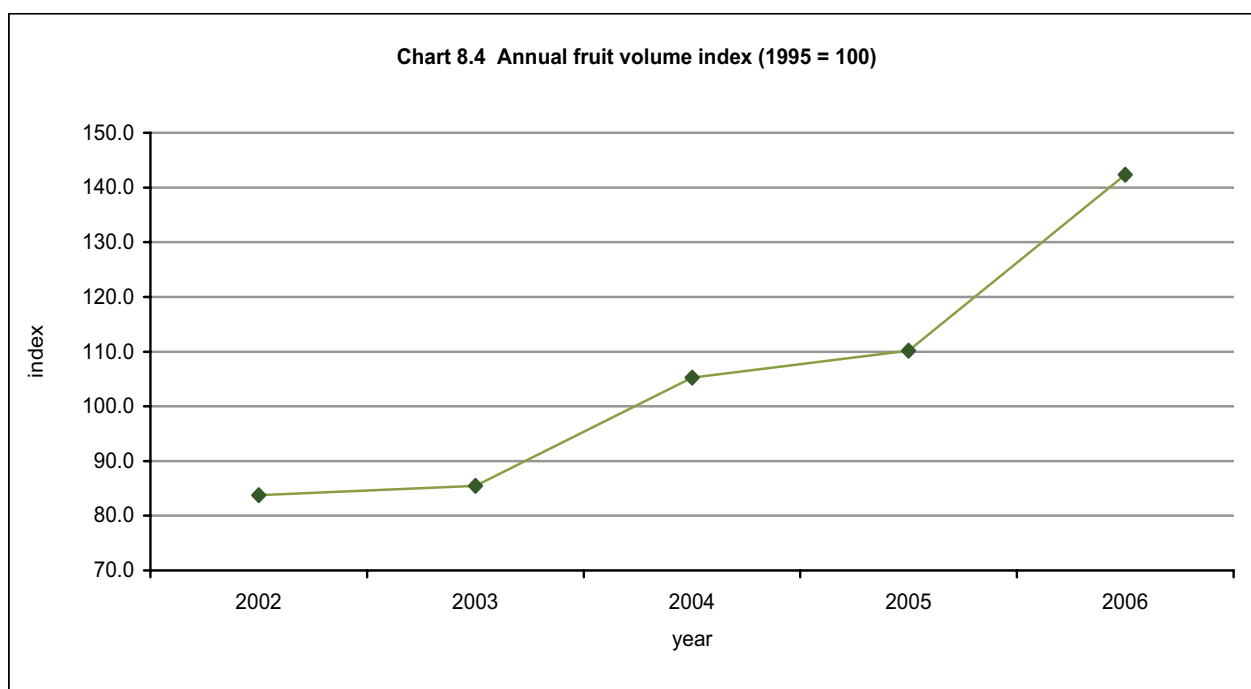
8.7 Annual fruit price index (1995 = 100)

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
All items fruit	139.8	151.6	115.1	105.2	112.9
Bambinella	275.3	240.3	267.3	169.1	189.3
Figs - Early	119.9	129.7	153.7	95.6	135.3
Grapes	156.7	161.7	93.3	107.7	74.9
Lemons	74.5	89.9	55.1	34.2	57.0
Nectarines	151.9	194.6	120.4	121.8	102.3
Oranges	93.8	128.7	87.1	84.9	118.2
Oranges - Sweet	96.9	110.8	90.2	73.4	103.5
Peaches	159.9	200.6	116.0	129.9	95.6
Plums - Cherry	125.6	184.2	183.0	83.2	145.9
Strawberries	151.0	133.7	121.6	129.4	141.2



8.10 Annual fruit volume index (1995 = 100)

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
All items fruit	83.7	85.5	105.3	110.1	142.3
Bambinella	38.9	42.0	24.0	92.3	77.0
Figs - Early	75.8	99.0	85.8	135.2	148.6
Grapes	63.8	73.4	136.5	92.6	170.2
Lemons	106.1	119.0	117.7	104.0	106.7
Nectarines	90.7	90.9	154.7	99.4	176.5
Oranges	141.2	87.3	90.3	150.3	140.6
Oranges - Sweet	235.3	207.3	144.8	307.9	224.8
Peaches	71.4	64.1	128.3	80.0	181.1
Plums - Cherry	41.3	31.5	18.8	83.6	50.2
Strawberries	82.0	96.2	99.1	116.4	113.5



8.14 Quarterly and annual producer price indices for agricultural products (2000 = 100)

	Quarter				
	Annual	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4
Output index at producer prices	97.6	99.3	96.9	96.0	99.4
Forage	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1
Potatoes	110.4	116.4	95.4	96.7	133.1
Fresh vegetables	106.1	113.8	107.6	100.6	104.2
Cauliflowers	88.9	75.8	104.6	123.6	80.9
Tomatoes	94.0	100.7	99.1	80.7	103.2
Other fresh vegetables	109.4	119.4	109.5	103.8	107.3
White cabbage	82.4	57.3	115.3	100.5	60.0
Lettuce	110.2	135.8	77.8	129.1	107.5
Cucumbers	91.8	242.1	98.2	62.5	61.6
Carrots	93.8	83.6	116.7	98.8	74.3
Dry onions	129.9	124.1	128.5	112.1	153.7
Sugar melons	125.3	195.9	191.8	101.3	83.6
Water melons	96.8	-	88.5	96.2	162.9
Vegetable marrows	114.6	227.3	75.7	115.9	104.4
Bellpeppers	95.3	186.7	101.1	60.4	146.3
Mushrooms	112.8	112.5	116.3	113.0	109.4
Fruit	92.5	124.0	97.9	76.8	105.8
Fresh Fruit (excluding citrus and grapes)	91.4	166.0	89.0	78.0	202.2
Peaches	66.8	-	64.5	68.0	93.1
Other fresh fruit	108.8	166.0	97.5	95.1	203.4
Strawberries	107.9	166.0	94.1	64.6	203.4
Citrus Fruit	95.2	90.1	79.2	106.9	98.3
Grapes	57.9	-	-	57.8	59.9
Olives	51.1	24.8	28.0	42.7	55.3
Animals	100.3	99.3	100.1	100.9	100.9
Cattle	101.6	96.8	100.0	104.2	105.3
Bulls	102.5	98.6	102.7	104.3	104.3
Cows	98.7	91.3	92.0	103.6	107.8
Pigs	81.8	81.8	81.8	81.8	81.8
Poultry	89.8	89.8	89.8	89.8	89.8
Rabbits	132.9	131.3	132.8	133.9	133.5
Animal products	91.1	90.9	89.2	90.5	93.9
Milk	95.2	95.0	92.4	94.3	99.3
Eggs	81.6	81.6	81.6	81.6	81.6

8.15 Annual input price indices for agricultural products (2000 = 100)

	Weight	Year				
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Input total	100.0	99.0	97.3	102.7	105.9	108.7
Goods and services currently consumed in agriculture	98.6	99.0	97.3	102.7	106.0	108.8
Seeds and planting stock	3.4	103.8	103.5	108.8	112.5	121.5
Energy; lubricants	7.7	107.4	107.0	123.8	151.6	171.9
Electricity	1.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	133.2	173.5
Motor fuels	6.0	107.5	107.0	128.7	158.9	175.7
Fertilisers and soil improvers	1.8	99.0	101.0	103.1	104.0	103.1
Straight fertilisers	0.9	99.4	103.7	105.9	107.8	102.6
Compound fertilisers	0.9	98.5	98.1	100.0	99.9	103.7
Plant protection products and pesticides	1.3	109.1	120.9	89.6	77.6	77.4
Fungicides	0.4	101.8	102.2	102.9	100.7	104.8
Insecticides	0.7	114.9	128.4	72.5	53.9	53.9
Herbicides	0.1	99.6	137.2	143.4	137.9	123.5
Veterinary expenses	2.0	111.1	111.1	117.2	130.2	135.4
Animal feedingstuffs	58.3	99.2	95.4	96.1	96.1	96.1
Straight feedingstuffs	6.1	92.3	55.9	63.1	63.1	63.1
Compound feedingstuffs	52.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Maintenance of materials	8.9	99.4	97.7	99.6	103.3	106.0
Maintenance of buildings	4.6	100.1	100.5	102.9	104.3	104.7
Other goods and services	10.5	106.5	111.6	122.8	127.2	132.9
Goods and services contributing to agricultural investment	1.4	99.5	100.3	101.4	97.7	99.4
Materials	1.4	99.5	100.3	101.4	97.7	99.4
Machinery and other equipment	1.3	98.3	98.6	99.7	95.7	97.5
Machinery and plant for cultivation	1.0	97.7	97.8	98.9	93.6	93.7
Transport equipment	0.1	114.4	121.3	122.5	122.9	122.9
Tractors	0.1	114.4	121.3	122.5	122.9	122.9

8.16 Quarterly and annual input price indices for agricultural products (2000 = 100)

	Quarter				
	Annual	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4
Input total	108.7	108.1	108.9	109.2	108.6
Goods and services currently consumed in agriculture	108.8	108.2	109.0	109.3	108.8
Seeds and planting stock	121.5	118.2	119.2	124.3	124.1
Energy; lubricants	171.9	168.1	176.5	178.2	165.0
Electricity	173.5	166.5	178.4	175.5	173.7
Motor fuels	175.7	172.3	180.4	183.3	166.6
Fertilisers and soil improvers	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.1
Straight fertilisers	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.6
Compound fertilisers	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7
Plant protection products and pesticides	77.4	77.4	77.4	77.4	77.4
Fungicides	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8
Insecticides	53.9	53.9	53.9	53.9	53.9
Herbicides	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5
Veterinary expenses	135.4	134.3	135.8	135.8	135.8
Animal feedingstuffs	96.1	96.1	96.1	96.1	96.1
Straight feedingstuffs	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1
Compound feedingstuffs	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Maintenance of materials	106.0	105.5	106.0	105.2	107.3
Maintenance of buildings	104.7	104.1	104.1	104.9	105.7
Other goods and services	132.9	132.1	132.3	132.4	134.7
Goods and services contributing to agricultural investment	99.4	99.3	99.3	99.4	99.7
Materials	99.4	99.3	99.3	99.4	99.7
Machinery and other equipment	97.5	97.4	97.4	97.5	97.8
Machinery and plant for cultivation	93.7	93.6	93.6	93.8	93.8
Transport equipment	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9
Tractors	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9

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9.1 Gross agricultural production (Lm '000) at producer prices

	Year		
	2004	2005	2006
Gross agricultural production at producer prices	51,482	50,279	51,868
Agricultural output	48,186	47,000	47,559
Crop output	17,583	17,385	18,632
Forage	929	1,320	1,249
Vegetables and horticultural products	10,947	10,729	11,418
Potatoes	3,265	2,875	2,371
Fruit	2,349	2,369	3,502
Other crop products	93	93	93
Animal output	30,602	29,614	28,926
Animals	20,945	20,548	19,802
Cattle	1,432	1,651	1,831
Pigs	5,692	5,974	5,522
Equines	50	61	56
Sheep and goats	104	143	132
Poultry	4,180	3,079	2,618
Other animals (Rabbits)	9,487	9,640	9,643
Animal products	9,658	9,066	9,124
Milk	7,251	6,575	6,300
Eggs	2,324	2,408	2,742
Other animal products	83	83	83
Inseparable non-agricultural secondary activities	3,296	3,279	4,310
Processing of agricultural products			
Wine	1,067	1,025	1,878
Other animal products: milk	2,229	2,254	2,432

9.2 Final agricultural production (Lm '000) at producer prices

	Year		
	2004	2005	2006
Gross agricultural production at producer prices	51,482	50,279	51,868
Losses	(2,385)	(2,308)	(2,273)
Intra-unit consumption	(555)	(528)	(740)
Seeds	(93)	(93)	(93)
Milk	(196)	(179)	(177)
Grapes	(267)	(256)	(469)
Final agricultural production at producer prices	48,542	47,443	48,856

9.3 Intermediate consumption (Lm '000) for agriculture

	Year		
	2004	2005	2006
Total intermediate consumption	(27,103)	(28,026)	(28,442)
Cropping	(2,051)	(2,053)	(2,135)
Imported seeds and planting stock	(1,199)	(1,240)	(1,343)
Fertilisers and soil improvers	(526)	(531)	(509)
Plant protection products	(326)	(282)	(283)
Animal feed	(14,233)	(14,344)	(14,103)
Fodder supplied by other holdings	(865)	(1,220)	(1,154)
Fodder produced and consumed on the holding	(64)	(100)	(94)
Compound feedingstuffs	(13,304)	(13,024)	(12,855)
Energy and lubricants	(2,760)	(3,364)	(3,786)
Electricity	(414)	(498)	(641)
Fuel	(2,346)	(2,866)	(3,145)
Various services	(8,059)	(8,264)	(8,417)
Maintenance of materials	(2,657)	(2,726)	(2,727)
Maintenance of buildings	(1,240)	(1,232)	(1,221)
Veterinary services	(632)	(687)	(706)
Other goods and services	(3,530)	(3,619)	(3,763)

9.4 Net value added (Lm '000) for agriculture

	Year		
	2004	2005	2006
Final agricultural production at producer prices	48,542	47,443	48,856
Subsidies on production	4,950	5,391	5,548
Final agricultural production at basic prices	53,491	52,834	54,404
Total intermediate consumption	(27,103)	(28,026)	(28,442)
Gross value added at basic prices	26,388	24,808	25,962
Fixed capital consumption	1,696	1,661	1,703
Net value added at basic prices	24,692	23,147	24,259
Subsidies not directly linked with production	3,086	2,813	2,405
Factor income	27,778	25,960	26,664
Compensation of employees	1,161	1,186	1,219
Operating surplus	26,617	24,773	25,446
Rents paid	292	292	292
Interest paid	415	434	458
Entrepreneurial income	25,910	24,047	24,695

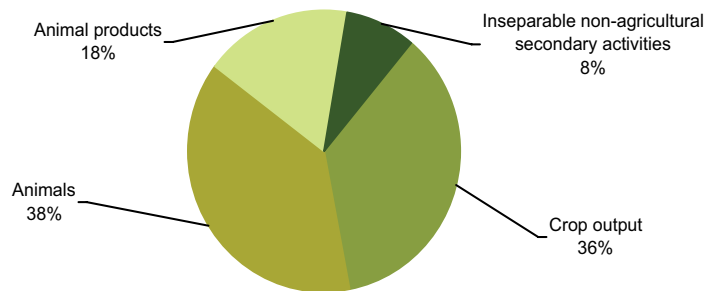
9.5 Final agricultural production (Lm '000)

	Final production at producer prices	Subsidies on products	Final production at basic prices
Output of the agricultural industry	48,856	5,548	54,404
Crop output	18,070	1,970	20,040
Forage	1,249	-	1,249
Vegetables and horticultural products	11,418	1,485	12,903
Potatoes	2,371	274	2,644
Fruit	3,033	212	3,245
Animal output	26,476	3,578	30,055
Livestock products	17,612	1,946	19,558
Other animal products	8,865	1,632	10,497
Inseparable non-agricultural secondary activities	4,310	-	4,310
Processing of agricultural products			
Wine	1,878	-	1,878
Other animal products: milk	2,432	-	2,432

9.6 Gross agricultural production (Lm '000) at producer prices by product and usage

	Usage						
	Total	Domestic sales	Losses	Exports	Farm consumption	Intra-unit consumption	Other uses
Gross Agricultural Production	51,868	44,129	2,273	806	3,826	740	94
Agricultural output	47,559	41,940	2,273	806	1,706	740	94
Crop output	18,632	16,280	-	806	890	562	94
Forage	1,249	1,154	-	-	-	-	94
Vegetables and horticultural products	11,418	10,834	-	114	470	-	-
Potatoes	2,371	1,477	-	692	201	-	-
Fruit	3,502	2,814	-	-	219	469	-
Other crop products	93	-	-	-	-	93	-
Animal output	28,926	25,661	2,273	-	815	177	-
Animals	19,802	16,829	2,190	-	783	-	-
Cattle	1,831	1,831	-	-	-	-	-
Pigs	5,522	5,522	-	-	-	-	-
Equines	56	56	-	-	-	-	-
Sheep and goats	132	126	-	-	7	-	-
Poultry	2,618	2,352	262	-	5	-	-
Other animals (Rabbits)	9,643	6,943	1,929	-	771	-	-
Animal products	9,124	8,832	82	-	33	177	-
Milk	6,300	6,093	-	-	30	177	-
Eggs	2,742	2,657	82	-	3	-	-
Other animal products	83	83	-	-	-	-	-
Inseparable non-agricultural secondary activities	4,310	2,189	-	-	2,121	-	-
Processing of agricultural products							
Wine	1,878	-	-	-	1,878	-	-
Other animal products: milk	2,432	2,189	-	-	243	-	-

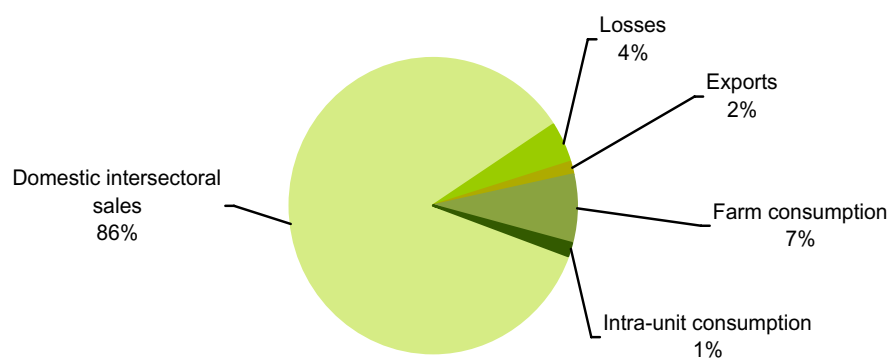
Chart 9.1 Percentage distribution of gross agricultural production by type of production in 2006



9.7 Gross agricultural production (Lm '000) at producer prices by usage

	Lm '000				
	2004	±04/05%	2005	±05/06%	2006
Gross agricultural production	51,482	-2.3	50,279	3.2	51,868
Domestic intersectoral sales	44,275	-2.3	43,275	2.0	44,129
To other agricultural units	865	41.0	1,220	-5.4	1,154
Outside of the agricultural industry	43,410	-3.1	42,054	2.2	42,975
Losses	2,385	-3.2	2,308	-1.5	2,273
Exports	1,322	-6.6	1,234	-34.6	806
Farm consumption	2,881	-1.6	2,835	35.0	3,826
Intra-unit consumption	555	-4.9	528	40.1	740
Other uses	64	55.8	100	-5.4	94

Chart 9.2 Percentage distribution of gross agricultural production by destination of product in 2006



Chapter 10 - Supply Balance Sheets of Agricultural Products

10.1 Cereals ('000 tonnes)

	Crop year		
	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006
Total Resources	152.3	174.9	157.6
Usable production	-	-	-
Imports	152.3	174.9	157.6
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	20.8	80.8	141.7
Total Uses	152.3	174.9	157.6
Exports	1.5	1.5	3.4
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.2	0.2	0.2
Change in stocks	-10.0	-4.7	8.9
Final stocks	34.2	29.6	38.5
Initial stocks	44.2	34.2	29.6
Domestic uses	160.8	178.0	145.3
Seeds	-	-	-
Losses	-	-	-
Animal feed	99.9	105.6	97.1
Industrial uses	2.0	2.5	2.2
Human consumption	59.3	69.9	44.8

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.2 Cereals 2005/2006 ('000 tonnes)

	Total			Common wheat	Durum wheat	Rye & Meslin	Barley	Oats & mixed grains	Maize grain	Cereals N.O.S.
	Cereals	Wheat	Cereals other than wheat							
Total Resources	157.6	38.8	118.9	28.1	10.7	0.0	46.3	1.3	70.1	1.2
Usable production	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Imports	157.6	38.8	118.9	28.1	10.7	0.0	46.3	1.3	70.1	1.2
From EU-25	141.7	26.9	114.9	16.7	10.1	0.0	46.3	1.3	67.0	0.3
Total Uses	157.6	38.8	118.9	28.1	10.7	0.0	46.3	1.3	70.1	1.2
Exports	3.4	0.0	3.4	-	0.0	-	-	-	3.4	0.0
To EU-25	0.2	0.0	0.1	-	0.0	-	-	-	0.1	0.0
Change in stocks	8.9	-1.2	10.2	-1.2	-	-	3.9	-	6.3	-
Final stocks	38.5	16.8	21.7	16.8	-	-	10.0	-	11.7	-
Initial stocks	29.6	18.1	11.5	18.1	-	-	6.1	-	5.4	-
Domestic uses	145.3	40.0	105.3	29.3	10.6	0.0	42.4	1.3	60.4	1.2
Seeds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Losses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Animal feed	97.1	-	97.1	-	-	-	40.2	1.3	55.5	-
Industrial uses	2.2	-	2.2	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-
Human consumption	44.8	40.0	4.8	29.3	10.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	0.0

10.3 Vegetables ('000 tonnes)

	Crop year		
	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006
Total Resources	81.8	82.1	92.9
Usable production	78.3	77.7	87.0
Imports	3.5	4.4	5.8
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	2.9	4.3	5.5
Total Uses	81.8	82.1	92.9
Exports	0.0	0.0	0.3
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.0	0.0	0.3
Change in stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Final stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Initial stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Domestic uses	81.8	82.1	92.5
Seeds	-	-	-
Losses	-	-	-
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Human consumption	81.8	82.1	92.5

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.4 Fresh Fruit ('000 tonnes)

	Crop year		
	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006
Total Resources	27.1	26.4	24.3
Usable production	2.6	3.6	3.6
Imports	24.4	22.8	20.7
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	10.5	11.8	10.1
Total Uses	27.1	26.4	24.3
Exports	0.0	0.0	0.0
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Final stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Initial stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Domestic uses	27.0	26.4	24.3
Seeds	-	-	-
Losses	-	-	-
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Human consumption	27.0	26.4	24.3

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.5 Citrus ('000 tonnes)

	Crop year		
	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006
Total Resources	11.1	11.2	16.7
Usable production	1.8	2.5	2.2
Imports	9.3	8.6	14.4
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	3.8	5.2	10.2
Total Uses	11.1	11.2	16.7
Exports	3.2	0.9	0.2
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Final stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Initial stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Domestic uses	8.0	10.3	16.5
Seeds	-	-	-
Losses	-	-	-
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Human consumption	8.0	10.3	16.5

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.6 Potatoes ('000 tonnes)

	Crop year		
	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006
Total Resources	58.2	44.6	46.0
Usable production	34.9	22.0	21.3
Imports	23.2	22.6	24.6
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	23.1	22.6	24.6
Total Uses	58.2	44.6	46.0
Exports	8.0	7.2	4.3
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	7.9	6.8	3.9
Change in stocks	-4.5	-5.2	2.5
Final stocks	14.1	8.9	11.4
Initial stocks	18.6	14.1	8.9
Domestic uses	54.8	42.6	39.2
Seeds	0.3	0.2	0.2
Losses	-	-	-
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Human consumption	54.4	42.4	39.0

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.7 Potatoes 2005/2006 ('000 tonnes)

	Type of potato			
	Total	Early	Other	Potato starch
Total Resources	46.0	22.6	23.3	0.1
Usable production	21.3	20.5	0.8	-
Imports	24.6	2.1	22.5	0.1
From EU-25	24.6	2.1	22.4	0.1
Total Uses	46.0	22.6	23.3	0.1
Exports	4.3	0.0	4.2	0.0
To EU-25	3.9	0.0	3.9	0.0
Change in stocks	2.5	2.3	0.2	0.0
Final stocks	11.4	9.6	1.8	0.0
Initial stocks	8.9	7.3	1.6	0.0
Domestic uses	39.2	20.2	18.9	0.1
Seeds	0.2	0.2	-	-
Losses	-	-	-	-
Animal feed	-	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-	-
Human consumption	39.0	20.0	18.9	0.1

10.8 Sugar ('000 tonnes)

	Crop year		
	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006
Total Resources	48.7	26.8	29.8
Usable production	-	-	-
Imports	48.7	26.8	29.8
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	48.0	17.1	18.6
Total Uses	48.7	26.8	29.8
Exports	18.1	16.8	19.4
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	1.1	0.4	0.4
Change in stocks	7.2	-3.1	-3.9
Final stocks	11.8	8.7	4.8
Initial stocks	4.7	11.8	8.7
Domestic uses	23.6	13.0	14.3
Seeds	-	-	-
Losses	-	-	-
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Human consumption	23.6	13.0	14.3

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.9 Wine ('000 hl)

	Crop year		
	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006
Total Resources	78.9	105.6	152.2
Usable production	59.7	70.0	60.0
Imports	19.1	35.6	32.0
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	15.9	28.4	29.2
Total Uses	78.9	105.6	152.2
Exports	0.4	0.2	0.1
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.3	0.2	0.1
Change in stocks	-2.6	20.7	10.9
Final stocks	39.5	60.1	71.0
Initial stocks	42.1	39.5	60.1
Domestic uses	81.5	84.9	81.0
Human consumption	81.5	84.9	81.0
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Processing	-	-	-
Losses	0.0	0.0	0.0

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.10 Wine 2005/2006 ('000 hl)

	Quality wines PSR		Table wines		Other wines	
	Total	of which white	Total	of which white	Total	of which white
Total Resources	25.1	15.1	122.6	78.3	4.5	3.7
Usable production	0.0	0.0	60.0	40.7	0.0	0.0
Imports	13.4	5.9	15.7	8.2	2.9	2.9
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	12.3	5.7	14.7	7.8	2.2	2.2
Total Uses	25.1	15.1	122.6	78.3	4.5	3.7
Exports	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Change in stocks	3.3	2.6	7.1	8.4	0.4	0.2
Final stocks	15.0	11.8	54.0	37.7	2.0	1.0
Initial stocks	11.7	9.2	46.9	29.3	1.6	0.8
Total internal use	10.1	3.3	68.5	40.5	2.5	2.7
Human consumption	10.1	3.3	68.5	40.5	2.5	2.7
Industrial uses	-	-	-	-	-	-
Processing	-	-	-	-	-	-
Losses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.11 Meat ('000 tonnes)

	Year		
	2004	2005	2006
Total Resources	38.4	37.8	38.1
Usable production	20.2	19.1	17.7
Imports of meat	18.2	18.7	20.4
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	13.8	15.0	17.3
Total Uses	38.4	37.8	38.1
Exports of meat	0.1	0.0	0.0
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.1	0.0	0.0
Change in stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Final stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Initial in stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Domestic uses	38.3	37.8	38.1
Losses	-	-	-
Feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Human consumption	38.3	37.8	38.1

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.12 Meat 2006 ('000 tonnes)

	Type of meat			
	Total	Beef	Pork	Poultry
Total Resources	38.1	9.3	13.5	9.9
Usable production	17.7	1.4	8.2	3.9
Imports of meat	20.4	7.9	5.3	6.0
From EU-25	17.3	6.3	5.3	5.4
Total Uses	38.1	9.3	13.5	9.9
Exports of meat	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
To EU-25	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Final stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Initial stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Domestic uses	38.1	9.3	13.5	9.9
Losses	-	-	-	-
Feed	-	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-	-
Human consumption	38.1	9.3	13.5	9.9

10.13 Milk ('000 tonnes)

	Year		
	2004	2005	2006
Total Resources	31.4	30.4	30.9
Usable production	29.6	29.0	29.3
Imports	1.8	1.4	1.7
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	1.8	1.4	1.7
Total Uses	31.4	30.4	30.9
Exports	0.0	0.0	0.0
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Final stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Initial stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Domestic uses	31.4	30.4	30.9
Losses	-	-	-
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Processing	-	-	-
Human consumption	31.4	30.4	30.9

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.14 Cheese ('000 tonnes)

	Year		
	2004	2005	2006
Total Resources	8.3	8.5	9.3
Usable production	3.9	4.1	4.6
Imports	4.4	4.4	4.7
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	3.3	3.9	4.5
Total Uses	8.3	8.5	9.3
Exports	0.0	0.0	0.0
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Final stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Initial stocks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Domestic uses	8.3	8.5	9.3
Losses	-	-	-
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	-	-	-
Processing	-	-	-
Human consumption	8.3	8.5	9.3

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.15 Eggs ('000 tonnes)

	Year		
	2004	2005	2006
Total Resources	6.4	6.5	7.4
Usable production	6.0	6.3	7.1
Imports	0.4	0.2	0.3
From EU-15/EU-25 ^a	0.4	0.2	0.3
Total Uses	6.4	6.5	7.4
Exports	-	-	-
To EU-15/EU-25 ^a	-	-	-
Change in stocks	-	-	-
Final stocks	-	-	-
Initial stocks	-	-	-
Domestic uses	6.4	6.5	7.4
Eggs for hatching	0.4	0.3	0.2
Losses	0.4	0.4	0.4
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	0.0	0.0	0.2
Human consumption	5.6	5.9	6.6

^a As from 2005 Imports and Exports are being compiled at EU-25 level.

10.16 Eggs 2006 ('000 tonnes)

	Type of eggs		
	Total	Eggs for hatching	Eggs for human consumption
Total Resources	7.4	0.3	7.1
Usable production	7.1	0.1	6.9
Imports	0.3	0.1	0.2
From EU-25	0.3	0.1	0.2
Total Uses	7.4	0.3	7.1
Exports	-	-	-
To EU-25	-	-	-
Change in stocks	-	-	-
Final stocks	-	-	-
Initial stocks	-	-	-
Domestic uses	7.4	0.3	7.1
Eggs for hatching	0.2	0.2	-
Losses	0.4	0.1	0.4
Animal feed	-	-	-
Industrial uses	0.2	-	0.2
Human consumption	6.6	-	6.6

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11.1 Fishing vessels by length and port^a

	Size class: Metres				
	Total	<5	5 - <10	10 - <15	≥15
MALTA	2,260	772	1,313	116	59
Malta	1,895	619	1,129	100	47
Valletta Area	445	129	283	18	15
Southwest Area	846	199	551	68	28
West Area	159	110	48	1	0
North Northeast Area	440	181	245	13	1
Other Malta	5	0	2	0	3
Gozo and Comino	365	153	184	16	12
Gozo	365	153	184	16	12

^a See appendix.

11.2 Fishing vessels by length and type

	Size class: Metres				
	Total	<5	5 - <10	10 - <15	≥15
Total	2,260	772	1,313	116	59
Trawlers	16	0	0	0	16
MPV	932	63	730	100	39
Other fishing vessels	1,312	709	583	16	4
Other	47	29	13	2	3
Luzzu	318	39	264	14	1
Kajjik	883	632	251	0	0
Firilla	25	6	19	0	0
Bimbu	39	3	36	0	0

11.3 Fishing vessels by licence and length

	Size class: Metres				
	Total	<5	5 - <10	10 - <15	≥15
MALTA	2,260	772	1,313	116	59
MFA	423	51	239	76	57
MFB	995	329	629	35	2
MFC	842	392	445	5	0
Malta	1,895	619	1,129	100	47
MFA	323	35	178	65	45
MFB	742	196	513	31	2
MFC	830	388	438	4	0
Gozo and Comino	365	153	184	16	12
MFA	100	16	61	11	12
MFB	253	133	116	4	0
MFC	12	4	7	1	0

11.4 Fishing vessels by licence and port^a

	Type of licence			
	Total	MFA	MFB	MFC
MALTA	2,260	423	995	842
Malta	1,895	323	742	830
Valletta Area	445	52	172	221
Southwest Area	846	216	288	342
West Area	159	7	71	81
North Northeast Area	440	46	210	184
Other Malta	5	2	1	2
Gozo and Comino	365	100	253	12
Gozo	365	100	253	12

^a See appendix.

11.5 Fishing vessels by type and port^a

	Type of vessel								
	Total	Trawlers	MPV	Other fishing vessel					
				Total	Other	Luzzu	Kajjik	Firilla	Bimbu
MALTA	2,260	16	932	1,312	47	318	883	25	39
Malta	1,895	13	806	1,076	35	257	724	25	35
Valletta Area	445	11	173	261	8	54	178	7	14
Southwest Area	846	2	390	454	16	162	246	13	17
West Area	159	0	50	109	2	4	103	0	0
North Northeast Area	440	0	191	249	7	36	197	5	4
Other Malta	5	0	2	3	2	1	0	0	0
Gozo and Comino	365	3	126	236	12	61	159	0	4
Gozo	365	3	126	236	12	61	159	0	4

^a See appendix.

11.6 Annual volume (tonnes) of fish landings at the official market

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	941	1,070	1,068	1,337	1,296
Shrimp	29	37	26	30	32
Stone Bass	47	33	31	24	23
Dorado	347	507	473	447	559
Dog-Fish	24	17	20	19	20
Sword Fish	190	134	174	323	239
Blue Fin Tuna	176	220	228	301	227
Bogue	16	18	16	21	17
Other Species	112	104	100	171	179

11.7 Annual wholesale value (Lm '000) of fish landings at the official market

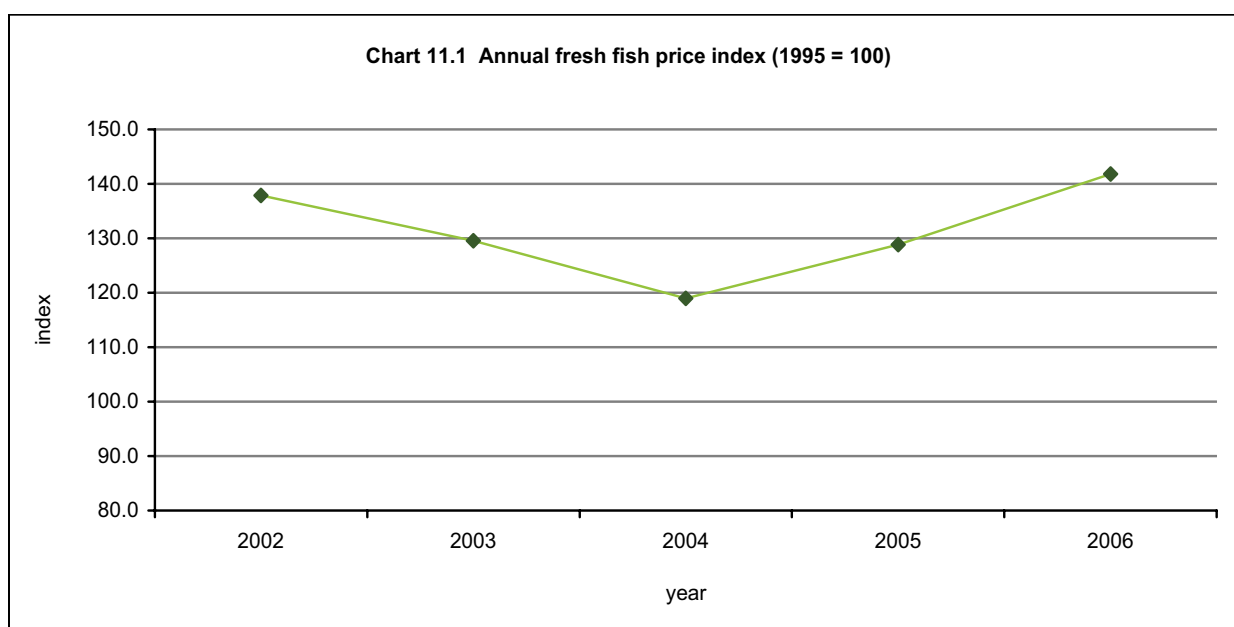
	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total	1,799	1,832	1,826	2,478	2,409
Shrimp	159	263	198	183	207
Stone Bass	112	92	86	74	76
Dorado	440	386	335	363	376
Dog-Fish	25	18	20	20	20
Sword Fish	383	270	487	766	748
Blue Fin Tuna	401	544	461	712	579
Bogue	14	14	14	19	15
Other Species	265	245	224	341	388

11.8 Annual average wholesale price (cents/kilogram) of marketed fresh fish

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Shrimp	549c4	715c9	757c1	606c0	644c2
Stone Bass	237c3	279c2	279c8	307c4	325c5
Dorado	126c7	76c1	71c0	81c1	67c2
Dog-Fish	106c4	103c9	99c4	105c0	104c2
Sword Fish	201c9	202c3	279c3	236c9	312c9
Blue Fin Tuna	228c1	246c9	202c5	236c3	255c0
Bogue	85c8	73c6	92c5	91c1	88c9

11.9 Annual fresh fish price index (1995 = 100)

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
All Items fresh fish	137.9	129.5	119.0	128.8	141.8
Shrimp	93.3	121.6	128.6	102.9	109.4
Stone bass	80.1	94.3	94.4	103.7	110.2
Dorado	235.5	141.4	131.9	150.7	124.9
Dog-fish	88.3	86.3	82.5	87.2	86.5
Swordfish	80.5	80.7	111.4	94.5	124.8
Blue fin tuna	142.1	153.8	126.2	147.2	158.8
Bogue	125.2	107.4	134.8	132.8	129.7



11.10 Monthly fresh fish price index (1995 = 100)

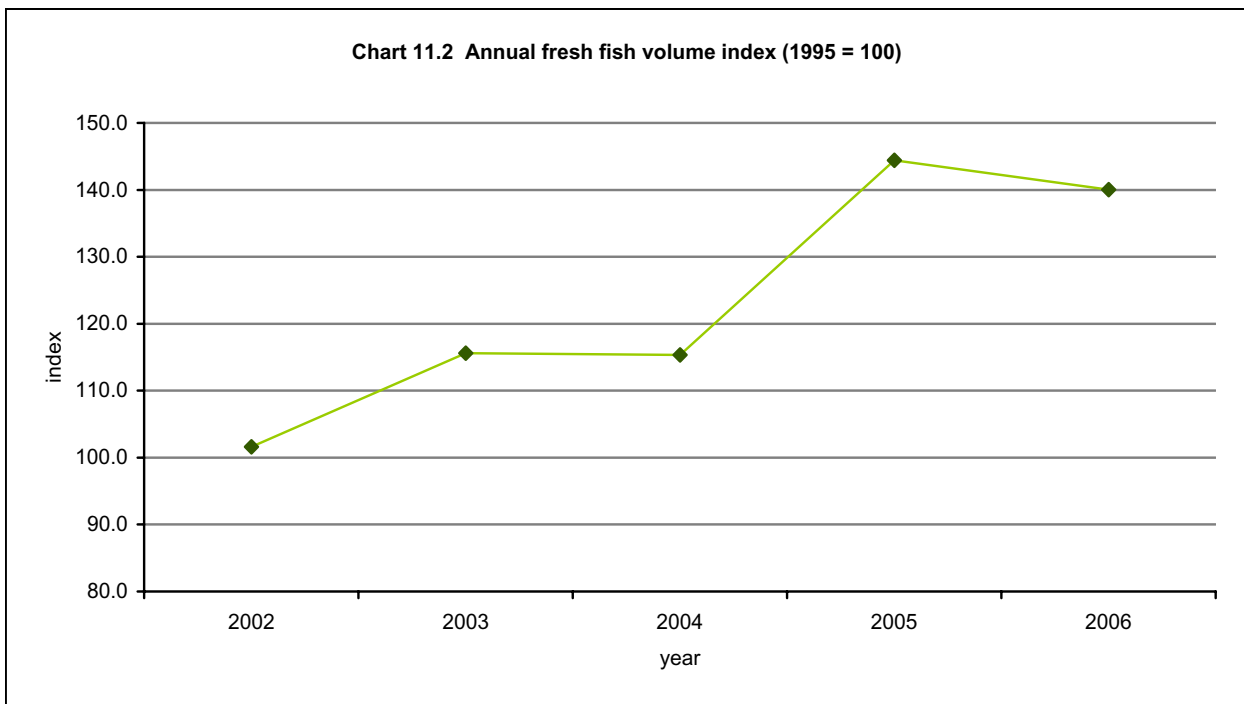
	Month												
	Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
All Items fresh fish	141.8	133.2	149.6	143.1	156.7	145.0	147.5	150.4	144.7	127.3	130.7	158.8	156.4
Shrimp	109.4	111.3	128.6	115.8	131.8	120.4	112.7	129.6	84.0	68.0	106.0	128.0	89.0
Stone bass	110.2	119.9	113.9	105.6	102.4	106.4	110.4	110.2	115.1	115.1	118.9	92.3	137.1
Dorado	124.9	135.4	377.6	0.0	0.0	419.9	271.2	278.4	121.2	128.7	110.0	149.7	183.6
Dog-fish	86.5	83.5	102.9	98.3	91.4	92.7	88.5	89.5	44.9	60.8	61.4	91.8	87.6
Swordfish	124.8	116.9	127.9	157.5	144.8	138.2	131.4	111.8	135.4	113.9	118.8	122.5	129.5
Blue fin tuna	158.8	138.0	0.0	0.0	175.9	160.4	152.9	171.6	131.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Bogue	129.7	123.3	167.8	141.3	146.4	117.5	116.5	121.1	103.6	93.5	125.9	140.3	135.4

11.11 All Items fresh fish price index (1995 = 100)

	Month												
	Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2002	137.9	139.9	99.1	113.6	184.8	155.2	149.6	145.8	169.3	131.7	143.3	129.3	118.6
2003	129.5	144.2	124.4	112.6	158.5	169.8	150.9	124.2	111.8	111.9	122.1	112.7	109.6
2004	119.0	103.2	145.6	118.7	133.1	159.5	128.0	125.6	129.5	117.0	105.7	117.6	116.0
2005	128.8	131.3	104.3	114.6	205.0	153.3	149.3	120.5	104.0	106.6	124.3	148.6	119.2
2006	141.8	133.2	149.6	143.1	156.7	145.0	147.5	150.4	144.7	127.3	130.7	158.8	156.4

11.12 Annual fresh fish volume index (1995 = 100)

	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
All Items fresh fish	101.6	115.6	115.3	144.4	140.0
Shrimp	600.4	760.5	541.7	623.8	664.7
Stone bass	209.1	146.3	135.9	107.3	120.1
Dorado	104.1	151.9	141.6	134.0	167.5
Dog-fish	99.9	72.4	86.4	80.0	83.0
Swordfish	325.8	229.4	299.6	555.6	411.0
Blue fin tuna	49.8	62.4	64.5	85.4	64.3
Bogue	86.3	97.7	81.4	111.5	91.4



11.13 Monthly fresh fish volume index (1995 = 100)

	Month												
	Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
All Items fresh fish	140.0	56.2	23.0	28.8	38.8	225.3	190.1	111.1	195.1	342.2	337.8	100.1	31.9
Shrimp	664.7	480.7	255.5	383.1	588.2	827.6	1106.4	1026.2	604.8	1061.7	894.1	585.2	162.4
Stone bass	120.1	28.0	28.8	114.0	314.4	70.3	84.7	196.6	131.0	324.1	113.6	29.1	6.7
Dorado	167.5	83.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	2.8	9.2	1.9	353.2	693.0	685.8	152.7	28.7
Dog-fish	83.0	133.9	103.6	159.3	172.7	82.7	70.3	42.7	70.3	33.1	46.6	23.6	56.8
Swordfish	411.0	112.9	45.3	36.4	44.1	640.1	612.7	470.4	636.3	876.9	833.4	452.1	171.6
Blue fin tuna	64.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	389.6	290.0	91.1	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Bogue	91.4	54.2	105.4	134.1	84.6	195.7	155.7	130.7	41.2	23.1	52.9	70.1	48.6

11.14 All Items fresh fish volume index (1995 = 100)

	Month												
	Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2002	101.6	56.3	44.9	20.1	28.9	136.3	151.2	110.4	68.6	214.6	212.1	105.2	71.0
2003	115.6	23.7	19.2	49.1	23.3	196.7	156.2	105.1	117.4	254.0	179.3	232.4	30.9
2004	115.3	60.2	40.5	36.9	30.8	234.2	155.1	85.1	139.0	179.9	267.5	88.4	66.5
2005	144.4	27.7	16.0	40.6	43.5	315.6	180.1	142.2	269.3	323.6	167.0	108.4	99.0
2006	140.0	56.2	23.0	28.8	38.8	225.3	190.1	111.1	195.1	342.2	337.8	100.1	31.9

Appendix

Appendix

Malta			
	Valletta Area		North Northeast Area
M1000	Valletta (administrative area)	M4000	North/North-east (administrative area)
M1032	St. George's Bay	M4032	Marfa Point (Cirkewwa)
M1061	St. Julians Bay	M4062	Marfa
M1092	Balluta Bay	M4092	Ramla tal-Qortin
M1121	Sliema (Sliema Creek)	M4122	Armier
M1151	Gzira (Sliema Creek)	M4152	Little Armier
M1181	Gzira (Lazzaretto Creek)	M4182	Ramla Tat Torri
M1211	Ta' Xbiex (Msida Creek)	M4212	Mellieha Bay
M1241	Msida (Msida Creek)	M4242	Mistra Bay
M1251	Pieta'	M4272	St. Paul's Bay (Il-Fekruna)
M1271	Valletta (Marsamxett)	M4302	St. Paul's Bay (Xemxija)
M1301	Valletta (Grand Harbour)	M4332	Il-Vecca
M1333	Valletta (Pixkerija)	M4362	Tal-Ghazzenin
M1361	Marsa	M4392	St. Paul's Bay (Il-Gillieru)
M1391	Senglea (French Creek)	M4422	Bugibba
M1421	Senglea (Dockyard Creek)	M4452	Qawra
M1451	Vittoriosa (Kalkara Creek)	M4482	Salina
M1481	Kalkara (Kalkara Creek)	M4512	Bahar ic-Caghaq
M1511	Rinella		
M1572	Xghajra		
	Southwest Area		Other Malta
M2000	South West (administrative area)	M1004	Residence Malta
M2031	Marsaskala	M1005	Other Malta
M2062	St. Thomas Bay		Gozo and Comino
M2091	Marsaxlokk (Il-Maghluq)		Gozo
M2121	Marsaxlokk (Ix-Xatt)	G1000	Gozo (administrative area)
M2151	Marsaxlokk (Kavallerizza)	G1031	Mgarr
M2181	Qajjenza	G1062	Mgarr ix-Xini
M2211	Birzebbuga (St. George's Bay)	G1092	Xlendi
M2241	Birzebbuga (Pretty Bay)	G1122	Dwejra
	West Area	G1152	Qbajjar
M3000	West (administrative area)	G1181	Marsalforn
M3032	Wied iz-Zurrieq	G1211	Dahlet Qorrot
M3062	Ghar Lapsi	G1241	Hondoq ir-Rummien
M3092	Gnejna	G1272	Comino
M3122	Anchor Bay		

Symbols and definitions

- Non existent
: Not available

AWU-Annual Work Unit
MPV-Multi Purpose Vessel
UAA-Utilises Agricultural Area